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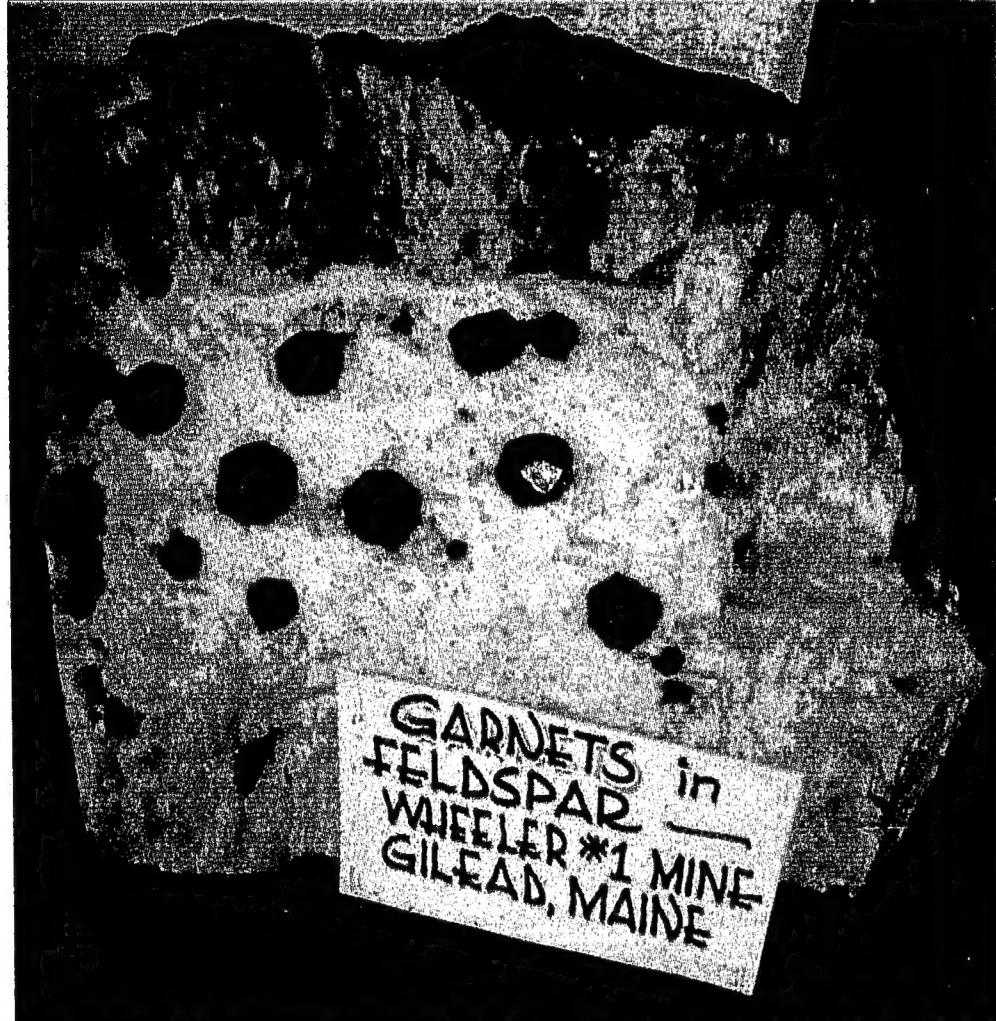
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BHS display offers sneak preview of gems and minerals to come

GARNETS IN

THE ROUGH

A block of feldspar with embedded garnets was donated by collector Addison Saunders to the Bethel Historical Society. Saunders found it in Gilead around 1960. There are currently three collections on display at BHS. A much larger collection will be established at the Robinson House when a planned addition is built.

(Photo:
A. Aloisio)

By ALISON ALOISIO

Maine, and particularly western Maine, is known worldwide as the source of spectacular gems and minerals.

Since the 1870s, many of the most significant specimens have left the state for collections at the American Museum of Natural History, Harvard University, and other high-profile collections.

But some of those specimens are now coming back to Maine, to become part of a large collection that will be established at the Bethel Historical Society.

For the past several years Jim Mann, a gem cutter/miner/jewelry from Bethel, has been working to obtain many of the specimens.

One large collection, now privately owned, would make up a major portion of the BHS collection.

The private collection, said Mann, currently contains "120 to 130 significant mineral specimens, and 15 to 20 significant gems."

For example said Mann, "It has world class Maine gemstones of morganite, amethyst,

tourmaline and aquamarine. Several are as good as 'best of species' for Maine."

The BHS collection would be housed in a new museum addition planned at the Robinson House.

The addition has been in the planning stages for several years, and will house a research library, crafts room, storage facility and other resources for the society's traditional historical activities.

A separate room will be dedicated to the gem and mineral collection and historical exhibit.

Mann said George Howe, whom Mann described as a major field collector in the early 20th century, "always wished there could be a spectacular collection in western Maine on public display."

Mann said the BHS collection should be the realization of that dream.

He has been able to obtain several specimens from collectors who otherwise might not have been willing to sell them, he said, until they learned the

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F. R. Barn abutter takes town to court

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Mechanic Street resident Mark Egeberg has filed suit in Oxford County Superior Court against the town of Bethel.

Egeberg, whose property abuts the Funky Red Barn on Summer Street, is challenging a decision by the town Planning Board to the effect that various changes that have taken place at the tavern are not significant enough to trigger a full site plan review.

He is also challenging a subsequent decision by the town Appeals Board upholding the Planning Board's decision.

There are two counts in the lawsuit, the first dealing with

the Planning Board decision, the second with the Appeals Board's.

The first count cites several areas in which the Planning Board allegedly failed to apply the relevant performance standards in the town code.

Those areas include parking and circulation, emergency access, advertising features, exterior lighting and impact on municipal services.

The second count alleges that Egeberg was denied due process during the subsequent Appeals Board review.

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Town Meetings

Deegan edges McInnis in Woodstock

By ALISON ALOISIO

A close election for selectman highlighted Monday's annual Town Meeting in Woodstock.

Ron Deegan defeated Percy McInnis 42-37 for the three-year term.

Judy Bennett, who held the seat previously, did not run for re-election.

Efficiency important

Prior to the vote, Deegan and McInnis spoke to the 80 residents in attendance about their reasons for running.

Deegan said his budgeting and mechanic's experience as director of transportation for

the South Portland school system would help him in decision-making.

Running the town efficiently would be a priority, he said.

McInnis said he favored holding the line on taxes. One way to do that, he said, would be to employ user fees for construction projects.

After Deegan prevailed in the close vote, he nominated Julie Davis for a three-year term on the School Board to replace him.

Deegan has served as a director, and his term is expiring.

Davis moved to Woodstock

about two years ago, and said that as a parent, she is very interested in education in SAD44. She was elected unopposed.

Residents also re-elected Marta Clements unopposed to the Whitman Memorial Library Board, and elected Jane Mills unopposed to a library seat previously held by Valerie Billings. Billings declined to run again.

Dog law, scholarships

Voters approved all 49 articles on the warrant, with minor amendments to several.

Among those approved was a new ordinance addressing

the disposal of dog waste.

It would require owners to clean up after their pets on public property or the private property of others.

Rick Farnum requested the ordinance, saying he was sick of cleaning up after other people's dogs in front of his house on Church Street.

Henry Forman noted that dog owners are already targeted with requirements, such as licensing and a leash law, while owners of other animals are not.

He also questioned whether

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Greenwood faces large budget increase

By MICHAEL DANIELS

If voters at Greenwood's annual Town Meeting Saturday give their stamp of approval, town spending for the current year will pass two psychological benchmarks: municipal spending will, for the first time, break the \$1 million mark, and total spending (after school and county taxes are added in) will pass \$2 million.

Town selectmen have proposed spending \$1,558,930 on municipal expenses, an increase of more than 60 percent from last year's budget of \$964,898.

The total spending proposal (including school and county levies) is \$2,386,589, up almost 40 percent from last year's budget of \$1,710,240.

Road costs account for the largest chunk of the municipal budget increase.

Last year the town budgeted \$160,000 for road repair, with \$90,000 going toward Howe Hill Road, and the remaining \$70,000 to the Greenwood Road.

This year's budget includes a lesser amount (\$82,500) for completing work already begun on Howe Hill Road, but Howe Hill Road is penciled in

for \$250,000.

That figure includes money for work on both the dirt and paved sides of the steep road.

On the paved (toward Bryant Pond) side the money would be used for rebuilding and repaving a badly buckled 3,200-foot stretch of road between the Greenwood Road and Dunham Road.

On the dirt side, the money would go toward a thorough reconstruction of the road, from the Greenwood Road to the junction with the Sheepskin Bog Road.

However that side would not be paved this year. Town of-

ficials hope to bring that expense (roughly \$170,000) to voters at next year's Town Meeting.

(Anticipating the argument that it's pointless to put new gravel on the road only to have it wash away in the spring, Town Manager Kim Sparks said that special efforts would be made to compact and riprap this summer's work, so that the road will still be in shape for paving next year.

Howe Hill Road was similarly rebuilt last year, with anticipation of paving this sum-

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Gilead to decide on public boat launch

By ALISON ALOISIO

Gilead residents will decide Saturday if they want to sell land on the Androscoggin River to the state, for use as a boat launch.

The article is one of 42 voters will consider at their annual Town Meeting.

Other articles include consideration of raising \$3,000 toward updating the Comprehensive Plan and authorizing selectmen to research the purchase of a one-ton truck.

Boat launch

The question of establishing a boat launch on the river has been discussed at several

public meetings over the past year.

Some residents and recreation-related businesses have argued that the location of the current launch makes it difficult for older people and the handicapped to get into their boats from the riverbank.

The launch is located on private land off Bridge Street.

The new, public launch would be located across the road, on land currently owned by the town.

The Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife has proposed to buy up to three acres to establish the launch, park-

ing area and toilet facilities.

Selectmen decided recently to include, as part of the article authorizing them to negotiate with the state, a stipulation that any proceeds from the sale go toward improving and winterizing the Town Hall.

The upgrade would also allow the town office, currently located in a private residence, to be moved to the hall.

Beverly Corriveau, Gilead's administrative assistant, said selectmen have not yet estimated the cost of the improvements.

In a letter to residents in the

town report, selectmen said Gilead would be compensated at fair market value if it sells the property to the state. "The state will use a licensed appraisal firm to create a value of the acreage to be purchased, based upon market data," they wrote.

If an agreement were reached, the proposal would then come back to the town at a special Town Meeting.

Selectmen said if the land is not sold to the state, IF&W would pursue the use of other property.

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Jazz and Cocktails

Sat. Apr. 7
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Letters

'THE SOUND OF FREEDOM'

To the Editor:

Last Friday, I went into the Bethel Foodliner for a couple items; I was wearing my Civil Air Patrol baseball cap with a Cessna 172 emblem on it. An elderly gentleman (about my age) followed me to the produce area and stated he used to be in the National Guard, mentioned my CAP cap and brandished The Citizen article on proposed overflights.

For reasons which I never understood, he is against them; among other things, he said the guardsmen should "deploy" out west and get their low-level training on the big training ranges there. (Nevada, California and Utah all have large military training areas in the deserts.) For this gentleman (whose name I don't remember) and probably many others with similar opinions, I would offer the following:

1) There are few, if any, over-land training areas in the eastern U.S. north of the Florida panhandle where military pilots can practice low-level flight training in air-to-air intercepts or air combat maneuvers (air-to-air "dog fight" type training) or training against simulated enemy air defensive systems like missiles or antiaircraft gun control radars. Deployments across the country with pilots, aircraft and maintenance personnel are expensive and can't be repeated often enough to maintain proficiency without other training. As one who survived 100 combat missions flying against enemy surface-to-air missile systems in North Vietnam, I can tell you that pilots need realistic training on a regular and recurring basis to remain proficient in the skills necessary to perform his/her assigned missions if and when necessary.

2) Although the gentleman I referred to dismissed the idea of a terrorist threat, I believe this threat is greater now than before the war in Iraq. Next time, they may decide on a low-level approach to their intended targets, whatever they may be. Aircraft are more difficult to see on radar when they fly close to the ground.

3) Our air defense fighters are sometimes vectored to intercept drug smugglers flying in low and slow aircraft. They need practice in this type of intercept with their supersonic F-15s or F-16s. Sometimes CAP assists in this training by flying as simulated penetrators in their single-engine Cessna aircraft.

I hope you will bear these factors in mind before you complain about those low-flying aircraft startling the "bejesus" out of you when they come flying over. If you are worried about scaring wildlife, think about the much more prevalent snowmobiles, ATVs and logging equipment that operate over the entire state. It seems to me much better for our pilots to get essential training over the Maine woods where few people will be bothered or endangered by possible accidents than in more populated areas elsewhere. With training, the pilots might even intercept the next hijacked aircraft before it reaches its target. Remember, "Jet noise is the sound of freedom!"

Richard Grover
Mason Township

REPUBLICAN: 'IMPEACH THEM'

To the Editor:

In a Middlebury, Vt., Town Meeting led by Gov. Douglas himself, citizens passed a resolution to impeach George W. Bush and Dick Cheney. A Putney, Vt., vote to impeach was unanimous.

More than 36 towns passed similar resolutions and it's happening in other states as well. These are inspiring examples of citizens acting to take back their government and to reaffirm Constitutional accountability, equal justice and equal protection under the law.

By pardoning Richard Nixon and eroding citizen confidence in government accountability, Gerald Ford lost the support of voting Americans. Now, having descended to the point where we face the most corrupt administration since the age of robber barons, citizens simply won't take it any more. Now, even as a lifelong Republican, I'm one of them. I have absolutely had it.

It is painfully evident that the highest levels of my party and American democracy itself are being hijacked by corrupt ideologues funded by corrupt corporations and religious groups.

"We The People" are uniting to face this real and present danger, arming ourselves with facts, and acting decisively to take back American democracy. We will impeach Bush and Cheney and prosecute to the full extent of the law those who have defrauded, deceived and stolen from us.

Imagine the clarity of vision we will regain as we work through this blizzard of symptoms we suffer every single day. Imagine what that will do for our morale and the pride we can share among ourselves and the world by reviving "The American Way"! We'll have learned, painfully, to keep personally involved in the responsibilities of American democracy.

I'm thrilled at the news from Vermont and I intend to energetically support action to impeach and to re-establish our government as a legitimate body of representatives working to serve We The People. We've done it before and we can certainly do it again. Exciting prospect, isn't it?

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IT'S CRUNCH TIME FOR WHITECAP PROJECT

To the Editor:

It's nearly over! The Whitecap Mountain Project has less than a week to go and we're only \$31,245 away from the goal of \$714,287! It has been a wonderful experience to work with so many people who care passionately about this special place. Clearly, it means a lot to a lot of people; people here and people who are now scattered all over the country.

Please, if you've been considering a gift to help keep the trail to the top of Whitecap open to the public forever, now is the time to act. If you love Whitecap, add your name to the list of the hundreds who will be able to say, "I helped make it happen. I gave part of that mountain to the children of the future so they can know the magic of Whitecap, too."

Checks can be sent to Mahoosuc Land Trust, Whitecap Project, Box 981, Bethel, ME 04217, or dropped off at the office at 18 Mayville Road (behind the Forest Service office next to the Crossroads Diner in Bethel.)

And please accept my personal thanks to all of you who have made this daunting task so much fun for all of us.

Allidah Iles
Co-chair, Whitecap Mountain Project

IN ALBANY'S DEFENSE

To the Editor:

In Albany's defense I would like to clarify a fact that seems to be "overlooked" every time there is another article in the paper about us. The town of Bethel does not provide 100 percent of the fire and rescue service to the township of Albany. Bethel does handle the northern part of town with Stoneham and Waterford fire departments providing coverage to the rest of Albany and Stoneham Rescue providing the rescue services.

I, too, have been in contact with our new Representative, Tim Carter, about his proposed legislation LD 484 An Act to Adjust the School Funding Formula with Regard to Unorganized Territories. I told him that as an unorganized territory we don't receive the same benefit in the school district as organized towns do. We have no voting privileges, which translates into no say in how our children are educated. I was told one day, while my child was still in school at Telstar, that my children were guests in that school district and I was not to rock the boat! If we're going to pay full price to have unorganized territory children educated then I want to be able to rock that boat when necessary.

Rep. Carter's reply to me was: "My legislation will have little or no impact on what Albany citizens pay in taxes. All school costs are paid from a central office in Augusta and are spread across all unorganized lands in the state." My comment back to Rep. Carter was, either he was naive or he thought I was very ignorant. If UT costs go up where do you think the money is coming from to pay them? Property taxes that's where. There may be a central office in Augusta where all school costs are paid from but the money has to come from somewhere.

As I have stated many times before, we do have lower taxes but we pay dearly in other areas and that is the trade-off of living in an unorganized territory. Most of us would just ask to be left alone.

Terry Howard
Albany Township

GRAHAM: 'TOTALLY MISQUOTED'

To the Editor:

Last Wednesday, March 21, the Sun-Journal printed an article by Leslie Dixon. In it I was totally misquoted. I want to set the record straight. What I told Ms. Dixon when she called is that I had not heard/seen the offer from the town of Waterford until Monday night's selectmen's meeting. I was surprised that Mr. Rust read it aloud at the meeting because we were under a gag rule. I told Ms. Dixon that I could still talk about it and that I was told it was something the attorneys had to handle. That Mr. Rust chose to introduce it in open session meant he did not agree with the gag rule. At present, he is threatening me because of that article. I want people to know, that I did not refuse the offer, I was not at liberty to say one way or another. As of today, I still have not seen the offer in writing.

I want everyone to know that I appreciate all the support and assistance I have gotten from the citizens of Waterford, Stoneham, and Albany and also those of Bethel, Hanover and Newry. Their support has meant a lot to me.

Rockie Graham
Waterford

DEADLINE FOR CHAMBER AWARD NOMINATIONS

To the Editor:

There is just one week left for award nominations to be written and submitted for the 38th annual Bethel Area Chamber Annual Awards, which is scheduled for Friday, May 11, at the Grand Summit Hotel at Sunday River Ski Resort. We need to receive these written nominations by Friday, April 6, to allow the award selection committee a couple weeks to convene and make their decisions.

For the benefit of those individuals unfamiliar with this process, anyone can nominate deserving community members for the following awards: The Henry H. Hastings Award for Citizenship; The Lifetime Achievement Award; Forest Products Industry Award; Public Service Award and Business of the Year Award. We are also seeking nominations from business owners and managers to recognize deserving employees in the following award categories: Hospitality Employee of the Year, Retail and Service Employee of the Year, Ski Services Employee of the Year, and Education Employee of the Year.

The individual nominating should plan to be at the event on May 11 for the presentation and supporting their award recipient, and we do have an emcee at the microphone in light of the fact that many people do not like to speak in front of a crowd.

We have so many wonderful public servants and excellent employees living and working among us. Please take a few minutes and submit the name and pertinent information on someone who you believe should be recognized for their contributions. You may either deliver the nominations to the chamber office (behind the Casablanca Movie Theater) during business hours or you may mail them to Awards Nominations, c/o Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce, P.O. Box 1247, Bethel, ME 04217.

Many thanks.

Robin Zinchuk
Executive Director, Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce

NEW YEAR'S BETHEL'S 10TH ANNIVERSARY

To the Editor:

Planning is already underway to celebrate the tenth anniversary of New Year's Bethel. This annual event, sponsored by the Bethel Historical Society, has become a Bethel tradition, offering members of the community a chance to celebrate the coming New Year together. This tenth anniversary year offers an opportunity for a special celebration. We'd like to hear about ideas for performances or entertainment or if there is an interest in extending the program time beyond 10:15 p.m. Anyone with ideas to share or who may wish to work with the Historical Society on this event may call (824-0508) or e-mail (ajcressy@megalink.net) me at any time.

Allen Cressy

Chair, New Year's Bethel Committee

WHEN IS ENOUGH, ENOUGH?

To the Editor:

As a small-business owner who operates a store in Greenwood, I am extremely disappointed with the new proposal to raise the cigarette tax again, this time from \$2/pack to \$3/pack. When is enough, enough?

This would mark a total tax increase of \$2.74 per pack since 2001! The tax on a pack of cigarettes in New Hampshire is 80 cents. How am I supposed to stay competitive when my customers can save more than \$20 a carton by driving just a few short miles?

Gasoline taxes in Maine are significantly higher — and increased automatically every year. Customers who don't come in to buy cigarettes or gasoline, also don't buy groceries, snacks, candy and other products that allow me to remain profitable, employ local people and invest in my community.

I strongly encourage our leaders in Augusta, especially our state senator, Bruce Bryant, to stand up against this unfair tax increase.

Chris Marshall

Owner, Round Pond Corner Store

DAFFODIL DAYS THANKS

To the Editor:

Thanks to everyone who helped make the American Cancer Society Daffodil Days in Bethel a big success. Thanks to the businesses and individuals who pre-ordered bouquets and the people who purchased bouquets at the Bethel Foodliner. The anonymous "Gifts of Hope" were deeply appreciated by those who received the lovely bouquets in the special vases. Pam Buck was the winner of the 2007 Boyd's Bear, "Flowers R. Hope."

Caroline V. Gould

Coordinator, Daffodil Days in Bethel

Hot News Tip?

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Our Back Pages

Compiled by Danna Brown Nickerson
10 years ago: General management of Bethel Station Limited Partnership was taken over by David Oppenheim of Chatham, Mass.

Ice was still piled high and jammed in Wild River.

Brian Broderick, a seventh grader at Telstar Middle School, was the winner of the SAD44 Spelling Bee.

The Telstar High School drama club presented "French Toast" and "Drive-in."

Births: Hallie Marie Svach, Mercedes Ann Colson.

Deaths: Natalie F. Lute, Stuart F. Martin, Cornelia R. Denison, Richard L. Roy.

20 years ago: A record 36 teams competed in the Pole, Paddle, and Paw race sponsored by Sunday River Inn and Ski Touring Center.

SAD44 teachers gathered for a workshop with a NASA official to learn more about science and space exploration.

Ronald Kendall played in the USF&G Golf Classic Pro-Am in New Orleans with professional golfer Larry Rinker.

Deaths: Olive G. Parsons, Edgar J. Davis, Rose-Anne M. Brown, Harry T. Kimball, Mrs. Isobel Roberts, Mrs. Mary Emma Ladd, John Patrick Evans.

30 years ago: Duane L. Gilbert, Sr. was appointed assistant plant manager and superintendent of Ekco Wood Products in Locke Mills.

Gould Academy received a \$50,000 grant from the Independence Foundation of Philadelphia, to be distributed over a five-year period as scholarships and other financial aid.

Jeff and Eric Hastings represented the Oxford County Farm Bureau as pages in the Maine Legislature on Maine Agriculture Day.

Birth: Marie Ann Lowell.

Deaths: Owen Joseph Richards, Charles W. Nammarah.

40 years ago: Rosalind Chapman presented a program on the early homes and people of Bethel Hill at the March meeting of the Bethel Historical Society.

Steel to be used in the construction of the new Androscoggin River Bridge was arriving at the Bethel Grand Trunk Railroad station.

Rehearsals were underway for a student presentation of the musical "Camelot" at Gould Academy.

Births: Diane Louise Roberts, Burton Rolfe, Jr., Stephen John Barnes.

Deaths: Lester Walker, Paul Korhonen, Grover C. Gorman, Marine Pvt. Leon L. Poland.

50 years ago: Strand Theatre, Congress Street in Rumford was evacuated after the cashier received a telephoned bomb threat. A thorough search was made and nothing found.

Barbara Honkala received a phone call from her husband, Rudi, from Wilkes Station, Vincennes Bay, Antarctica.

The Bethel Bazaar Committee and the Health Council merged to become the Bethel Health and Service Council, Incorporated.

Births: Terrence Lee Brown, Elaine Sue Cross.

Gems

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specimens "would be preserved in a place of permanence."

Randy Bennett, curator of collections at BHS, said that while the society is not a natural history museum, the collection will tie in well with local history.

In addition to the gems and minerals, there will also be displays showing the history of mining in the region.

"We'll tell the human part of it," said Bennett.

Current exhibit

Fundraising for construction of the museum addition is currently underway, and it will be some time before it becomes a reality.

In order for people to "start seeing nice things now," said Mann, there are currently three small gem and mineral collections on exhibit at the Robinson House.

One features specimens donated to BHS by Mann, Addison Saunders and other collectors.

Among them are a block of feldspar containing several garnet crystals, collected by Saunders in Gilford in 1960; a lepidolite doorstop, used by the late collector Nestor Tamminen, with a hand-drilled hole and a wedge embedded in it; and a six-inch lepidolite sphere from Mt. Rubelline in

Hebron.

Another collection, on loan from Anne and Jim Mann and Larry Stifler and Mary McFadden, features specimens collected in the 1800s and around the turn of the 20th century.

One specimen, a tourmaline, was collected in 1885 by miner Nate Perry from the Towne Quarry at Mt. Apatite, in Auburn.

"It's one of the most historically steeped specimens in the collection," said Mann.

The tourmaline was first sold to Dr. Frederick Kunz, a New York collector who often purchased for Tiffany's and the American Museum of Natural History.

It was then acquired by that museum, where it stayed for nearly 100 years.

In 1983, Mann was able to bring it back to Maine by trading a Maine amethyst for it, he said.

"It exemplifies the things being repatriated," he said.

The third collection at the Robinson House has been with BHS for six years.

It contains selected specimens from the Stuart Martin collection, which were donated to the society in 2001.

Martin was a local businessman, historian and author from Rumford Point.

Briefly**Telephone for overflight concerns**

BETHEL—The Massachusetts Air National Guard has provided the following contact number for anyone wishing to comment on the Guard's plan to lower the training floor in the Condor Military Operating Area (Bethel Citizen, March 22). Contact Captain Monty Beckel, 102nd Fighter Wing, Otis ANGB, at (508) 968-4151. The deadline for comments is April 13. A draft environmental assessment for the proposal is available for review in the Rumford and Rangeley public libraries.

TMS Talent Show for Make-A-Wish

BETHEL—The Telstar Middle School Leadership Committee will present the TMS Talent Show April 5 in the Telstar High School Auditorium. The show features a variety of student performances and will also include a bag raffle of items and gift certificates donated by Bethel area businesses. Doors will open at 5:30 p.m., and the show begins at 6 p.m. Admission is \$3 and raffle tickets are \$1 each. All of the funds raised will be donated to the Make-A-Wish Foundation of Maine. In case of school or after-school cancellation, the event will be held April 6 at the same time. The Make-A-Wish Foundation grants wishes to children under the age of 18 who have life-threatening illnesses. Since its inception in 1980, the non-profit organization has granted more than 149,000 wishes around the world. The TMS students and staff have set a goal to raise \$5,000 for the Maine chapter by May, so they can fully grant the wish of one child. Students have already raised \$1,600 for this cause with the "Artreach" event held in December. Anyone who can't attend but who would like to make a donation may contact Melissa Prescott at (207) 824-2136 x228. For more information, call the same number or e-mail prescotm@sad44.org.

No increase expected in school aid

BETHEL—SAD44 Superintendent Dave Murphy told the School Board Monday that there are not yet solid figures on what the district will receive for state aid for the FY'08 budget. But, he said, "I think the best we can hope for is what we got last year." Murphy said two preliminary scenarios provided by the state show SAD44 receiving \$70 less and \$70,000 less, respectively, than last year. Murphy said some fixed parts of the budget will increase. Examples: Region 9 operating costs are expected to go up by \$35,000, and \$16,500 will be added to go toward a recently-approved addition; fuel and electricity costs will increase; and negotiated contract agreements will result in increases, he said. Administrators are currently looking for areas in their budgets that can be reduced, Murphy said.

Newry receives river grant

NEWRY—Newry received a \$90,000 Hazard Mitigation Grant from the Federal Emergency Management Administration (FEMA) to protect the Sunday River Road from washing out, and to minimize erosion in the Sunday River, according to a press release from Jeff Stern, the town's consultant on the project. Surveying and engineering will begin at the site after high water this spring. The project will treat 400 feet near the junction of the Sunday River and Outward Bound Roads. The Sunday River closely parallels the Sunday River Road at that location. The road is the sole access route to residences, camps, logging sites and recreation in the upper Sunday River Watershed. Currently, all that remains between the river and the Sunday River Road is 15 feet of rapidly eroding riverbank. Large chunks of the bare bank are caving, and trees are toppling into the river, the release said. It is estimated the river will undermine the road in a few years, cutting off access to the upper Sunday River Watershed. In applying for the FEMA grant, the town calculated 667 cubic yards of soil wash into the Sunday River from the site each year. Eroding soil washes downstream where it can smother fish spawning habitat and cause further instability in the river, according to the release. Numerous surveys of erosion in the Sunday River Watershed in the early 2000s identified this site as a high priority for remediation. Activities planned for the site include installation of a series of rock "vanes" that stick into the river and deflect flows away from the eroding bank, reshaping the cliff-like bank to a gentler grade that will support plant growth, replanting bare areas, and placement of large rocks intermixed with plantings at strategic spots along the bank and at the toe of the slope.

Region 9 hearing scheduled

BETHEL—A public hearing on the proposed Region 9 School of Applied Technology budget will take place Tuesday at 7 p.m. at Telstar High School. The secondary budget figure is \$1,295,540, up from last year's \$1,216,421.

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Main-Land Development, as agent for owners Ed & Paula Turgeon and Ron Gonthier, will hold a Public Information meeting regarding their proposed 13-lot residential subdivision 'Olde Mt. Will Farm Estates'. This 41-acre project parcel is located on U.S. Route 2 in Bethel (Town of Bethel Tax Map 22 Lot 19). This meeting is required by Maine Department of Environmental Protection under the Natural Resource Protection Act for a Tier II application involving wetland fill for road construction.
For more information, call Main-Land Development at 207-897-6752
This public informational meeting will be held in the meeting room at the Bethel Town Office, 19 Main Street, Bethel, Maine
Access room through side door across from Northeast Bank Drive-Up
On Tuesday, April 3, 2007 at 5pm

PUBLIC NOTICE: NOTICE OF INTENT TO FILE
Please take notice that: Ed & Paula Turgeon and Ron Gonthier, 12 Robertta Drive, Dover, NH 03820, are intending to file a Natural Resources Protection Act permit application with the Maine Department of Environmental Protection pursuant to the provisions of 38 MRSA §§ 480-A-480-BB on or about February 28, 2007.
The application is for: Wetland fill and two stream crossings for proposed subdivision road at the following location: Town of Bethel, Tax Map 22, Lot 19.
A request for a public hearing or a request that the Board of Environmental Protection assume jurisdiction over this application must be received by the Department in writing, no later than 20 days after the application is found by the department, to be complete and is accepted for processing. A public hearing may or may not be held at the discretion of the Commissioner or Board of Environmental Protection. Public comment on the application will be accepted throughout the processing of the application.
The application will be filed for public inspection at the Department of Environmental Protection's office in Portland during normal working hours. A copy of the application may also be seen at the municipal offices in Bethel, Maine.
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Rationale for new Greenwood Fire Department command/equipment truck

Note: Greenwood Fire Chief Jim Owens has provided the following information on the department's request for a new command/equipment truck.

To explain why [the present vehicle, a 1982 school bus] needs to be replaced begins with what its function is. The bus responds to almost every call of the department. It is primarily intended to be used as an air re-supply vehicle. The air tanks used by the firefighters last only about 15 to 20 minutes. They need to be refilled immediately and swapped out for full ones. The bus carries a large supply of air and the fill station to refill the bottles. It is a regional asset and responds to fires in the northern half of Oxford County to supply air. It also serves as an equipment truck for the department carrying the thermal imaging camera, exhaust fans, lighting and other critical equipment that there is no room to carry on the other vehicles. It also serves as a mini command post for long duration incidents and as a rehabilitation area for winter fires when the guys need to warm up. It was very popular during the very cold fire on Main Street in January.

The primary reason for replacement is due to the safety aspect of the vehicle. It was never designed to carry the types and weight of equipment it does now. New fire trucks are specifically engineered to distribute the weight evenly and are built to accommodate future additions of equipment. Currently, although there are seats in the bus we are restricted to carrying only the driver due to safety concerns of equipment during a crash. There are no seatbelts in the rear seats and I will not allow my members to ride in any vehicle without being belted safely. The department has only seven seats available to carry our firefighters to scenes. In December we spent \$900 having the rust repaired so that the bus would pass state inspection. When operating on major roads the bus does not have sufficient warning lights to operate safely and protect the firefighters.

The new vehicle we are requesting will have all of the required safety features including seating for five personnel, warning lights, an area for refilling bottles inside the trucks, a light tower to allow for overhead lighting of emergency scenes. The truck will also be designed to accommodate a future "Jaws of life" extrication tool and for other equipment the department may add in the future. The vehicle will have a life span of 25 years.

The new vehicle will be on a Chevy/GMC medium duty chassis and will have a 15-foot rescue body on the rear. There will be seating for two in the cab and three in the rear. It will also have 4-wheel drive to allow for access to some of the more remote roads and areas of the town.

Many of our members are looking forward to taking some advanced rescue courses in the future and this vehicle, properly designed and equipped, will allow our firefighters to serve our citizens safely and efficiently for the next quarter century. We intend to make the Greenwood Fire Department a department the citizens can be proud of.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Citizen welcomes letters to the editor. We hope our readers will regard the newspaper as a public forum for discussing any topic they believe to be of interest to the community.

Insofar as possible, we attempt to publish letters without alteration, but we do reserve the right to edit for length, liberal taste and readability.

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When writing, please include your full name, signature, address and telephone number (so that we may verify authorship).

The deadline for letters to the editor is 4:30 p.m. Monday. Letters submitted after that deadline will be considered for publication when circumstances permit.

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From the Bethel Police Log:

Tuesday, March 27

At 6:30 a.m. Officer Travis Fillmore assisted Bethel Rescue with a medical call at a residence.

At 3:35 p.m. Officer Mac McCormick responded to the intersection of Route 2 and the Sunday River Road for a two-vehicle accident. One vehicle had rear-ended another. One occupant was checked by Bethel Rescue.

Monday, March 26

At 3:28 p.m. Officer Jack Taylor responded to the Sunday River Road to assist state police with a house search.

Sunday, March 25

At 2:05 a.m. on Vernon St. Officers T.J. Reese and Jeff Campbell arrested Jason E. Clark, 25, of Center Barnstead, N.H., for OUI.

At 3:35 a.m. Officer T.J. Reese assisted Bethel Rescue with a call at a residence.

At 3:20 p.m. Lt. S.R. White took a report of a lost purse.

At 9:30 a.m. Officer Bill Britting warned a subject for telephone harassment.

Saturday, March 24

At 1:25 a.m. Officers T.J. Reese and Scott Landis responded to Church Street for a fireworks complaint. A subject was warned for disorderly conduct.

At 2:25 a.m. on Cross St. Officers T.J. Reese and Scott Landis arrested Tracy A. Gordon, 30, of Albany for OUI.

At 8:20 p.m. Officer Travis Fillmore stopped a vehicle on the Mayville Road and summonsed Andrew Robinson, 19, of Otisfield for possession of a useable amount of marijuana.

Friday, March 23

At 12:45 p.m. Lt. S.R. White took a report that a vehicle had been keyed in a Main Street business parking lot.

Thursday, March 22

At 2 p.m. Officer Mac McCormick received a report that someone had thrown nails out at the entrance to a driveway on Mason Street.

At 3 p.m. Officer Mac McCormick assisted Bethel Rescue with a call on Railroad Street.

At 12:10 p.m. Chief Alan Carr responded to a business parking lot for a two-vehicle, property damage accident.

This report highlights points of interest from the Bethel Police Department log. It lists cases reported in the log of adults being arrested or issued a summons in the 10 days prior to the newspaper's publication, but does not include all reports of police activity, such as routine speeding tickets and other civil violations. To reach the Bethel Police Department, call 911 in emergency situations, 824-3437 in non-emergencies.

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by Virginia Keniston

Michaline Roy of Laconia, N.H., formerly of Beth-

el, met with old friends, Don and Eleanor Brooks, Oscar Annis, Madeline Hunt, Phyllis Cross, Jane Young, and Lainey Cross, at The Cinnamon Stick Café in Locke Mills one day last week.

Bertha Stevens is a surgical patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway. She would welcome cards.

Now is the time! Spring is here and the talk is about seedlings and how big they are growing.

It's spring and everyone is out walking, running and getting that much needed exercise.

Quilters are starting a Sampler quilt. One square at a time. Three fabrics. One print with two matching colors and of course lots of muslin.

A group from Bethel Senior Citizen Club attended the St. Patrick's Day program at Indian Head Resort in Lincolnville, N.H. with the Dixfield Neighborhood Citizens. Attending were Martha Sweat, Rosabelle Tiff, Barbara Patterson, Maurice Lescault.

John and Arlene Greenleaf spent the weekend in Biddford where they attended their great-grandchild Jillian's fifth birthday.

The Lenten luncheon will hold its last of the series at Locke Mills on Thursday with the Rev. Geoff Gross, Methodist minister, as speaker.

Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge Club met Friday at the Fare Share Market, Main Street, Norway. A four-table Howell movement Club Championship was enjoyed. Finishing first in Flight A were Dick Allen and Pete Cummings. Second were Pat and Mike Quinn, with Eleanor Griffin and Martha Clements third. Finishing first in Flight B were Barbara and Paul Beegel with Bev Pel-

letter and Bev Dolan second who also were first in Flight C.

Gilead

by Lin Chapman

I was noticing last weekend how much it sounded like spring when

I went outside. The trees are full of birds and they are all singing their spring songs. The ground feels like spring also. The driveway is muddy and the snow is melting fast.

My brother, Steve McLain, stopped by last Saturday to attend the meeting of the Gilead Historical Society. On Sunday, Norm Buttrick and Cathy McGuire stopped by for a visit. Just as they were leaving, our grandchildren, William and Annie Chapman, arrived at the house with their dad, Tim.

I had an e-mail from Gale Tout and she said that they have two grouse that they have seen near the tree in their front yard. They usually come out early in the morning or around 5 in the evening.

Heidi and Bo Munro were in New York City recently taking care of their son's dog. Their son, Steve, went on a vacation in South Africa. While they were there, they visited museums, saw "The Magic Flute" at the Metropolitan Opera and also attended the Chinese New Year Parade.

Planning Board
The next regular meeting of the Gilead Planning Board will be held in the Town Hall on April 5 beginning at 7 p.m. Agendas will be posted at the Transfer Station, Town Hall, and Town Office.

Funding to update the Comprehensive Plan (CP) will be considered at the upcoming Town Meeting. The existing CP was developed in the '93/94 timeframe. An update may be appropriate at this time to re-establish town priorities and needs and to consider recent regional growth patterns. An

initial approach, estimated to take 18 months and cost \$6,000 over two years, has been developed with AVCOG. Ongoing discussions with AVCOG indicate Gilead may receive assistance for this effort as part of a co-funding program. If the update is approved by the town, a Comprehensive Plan Committee will be appointed to develop plan details, coordinate with AVCOG, obtain input from the public via Public Meetings and oversee the effort. Support will be requested from town individuals for development of data and preparation of selected sections of the CP. The remainder will be prepared by AVCOG.

Additional information can be found at the Transfer Station, Town Hall and Town Office or by contacting Jack Puckak at 836-2729.

Town Office

This week's news from the Town Office is just a reminder that Gilead's annual Town Meeting will be held this coming weekend on March 31 at 7 p.m. at the Town Hall.

Gilead Historical Society

There were 17 members of the GHS at the Planning Meeting held on March 24 at the Town Hall. The main topic of the agenda was the Friends and Family Day on June 23, but a few other items were covered.

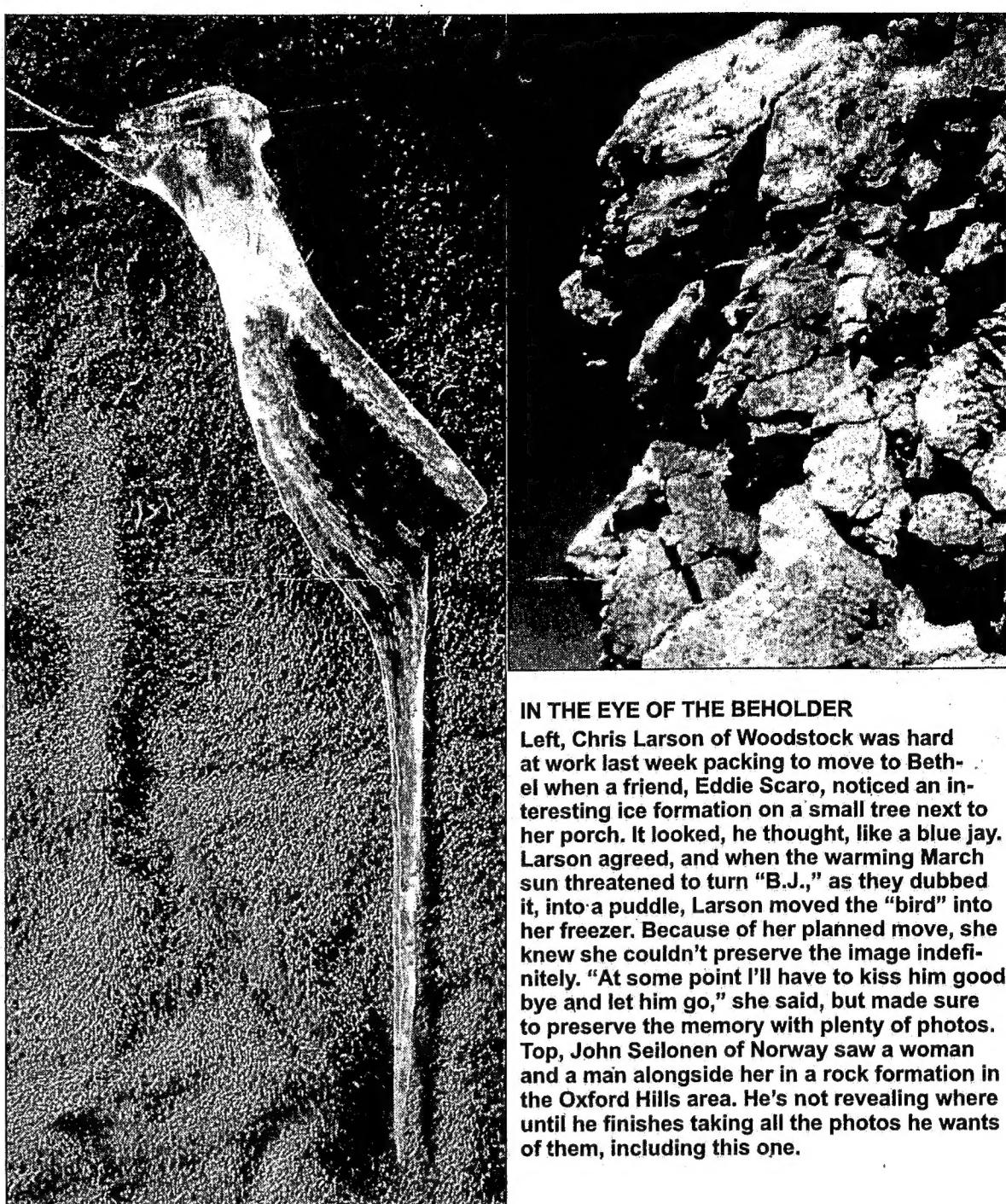
The Gorham Historical Society is having a celebration on Aug. 11, 2007 and the GHS has decided to participate. The 100th Anniversary of the Grand Trunk Railroad Station is the reason for the celebration. It is an all-day event and there will be a variety of activities planned. As time goes on, there will be more information made available in this column.

The GHS has also decided to award a scholarship to a graduating senior from Gilead.

A group will get together when the weather is warmer and plant flowers in the barrels in front of the Town Hall.

There were lots of ideas for the Friends and Family Day. There will be a parade in the morning, games for the children, skillet-tossing contest, music, ice cream and pie. The Gilead Fire Department will sell lunch at the Fire Station.

The next meeting will be another Planning Meeting for the June event and will be held on

**IN THE EYE OF THE BEHOLDER**

Left, Chris Larson of Woodstock was hard at work last week packing to move to Bethel when a friend, Eddie Scaro, noticed an interesting ice formation on a small tree next to her porch. It looked, he thought, like a blue jay. Larson agreed, and when the warming March sun threatened to turn "B.J." as they dubbed it, into a puddle, Larson moved the "bird" into her freezer. Because of her planned move, she knew she couldn't preserve the image indefinitely. "At some point I'll have to kiss him goodbye and let him go," she said, but made sure to preserve the memory with plenty of photos. Top, John Seilonen of Norway saw a woman and a man alongside her in a rock formation in the Oxford Hills area. He's not revealing where until he finishes taking all the photos he wants of them, including this one.

May 19 at 1 p.m. at the Town Hall.

Got any news? Call 836-2987 or e-mail chapmal@hotmail.com.

Greenwood City

by Wayne Hakala

There ought to be a law against heating pads, recliners, achy legs, and old

John Wayne movies. Or at least in that combination. I should have turned on my set in here instead of seeing what Anita was up to. Course we

had to have some coffee and ice cream.

This week we, in several towns, are involved with Town Meetings. Now I know that so many are going to say that they don't have time and can't be bothered with going to Town Meeting. And that is about the lamest excuse that ever rolled off the top of Patch Mountain — in January I might add.

Yet we live in a beautiful little place called earth and our spot here in western Maine needs some TLC. We all can care by attending our Town Meetings and supporting the structure called home by so many. Now get out and attend the meetings. Besides there are many that have a wicked good lunch, too, that usually supports a good cause.

It has been slow this week for me. I haven't been getting around too handily. I do want my good friend Richard to know that I had my leg checked out at the VA clinic



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has by now found a whole parcel of new victims for rib-tickling merriment and laughter. Thank you Carmen for being such a beautiful friend.

I'm going to say from the sunny side, but there is a damp spot in my eye tonight.

West Bethel



by Lorrie Hoeh

Mike has measured 62 inches of snow for the season so far.

That's more than last year, but far from average. Now spring is definitely in the air, and the snow is fast disappearing.

It hung around just long enough, however, for the Maine Handicapped Skiing Skia-thon to be a huge success, raising over \$350,000 last Saturday. Yours truly participated at the Sunday River Inn in the Nordic division. Our team, Nordic Chicks on Sticks, raised over \$5,000. We had nice spring skiing in the morning and lots of fun with silly games and relay races in the afternoon.

The other day while driving to town over Grover Hill Road, I saw a couple of deer crossing the road just above Donna Remington's house. Slowing down I was astonished to see four more farther along. All six trotted uphill for a while, then turned and leapt over the snow bank into the woods.

We're seeing lots of activity at the birdfeeders. Blue jays and mourning doves are busy on the ground, along with an occasional tree sparrow, while the hanging feeders are frequented by lots of goldfinches, purple finches, chickadees, titmice, nuthatches, and the occasional evening grosbeak. We haven't yet seen any redpolls or pine siskins, but are ever on the lookout for them.

The Innans are still being visited regularly by Mr. Tom Turkey. Also, they have yet another member of the family. They brought home Maggie's littermate, Scout, Sunday before last. Gary tells me that sister and brother are having great fun together, and the pups are adored and cuddled by Caili and Ani.

Jane Hosterman has been attending a genealogy class at the Bethel Historical Society, taught by Steve Seames. The class of 45 enthusiasts has met twice so far and will likely meet another six or seven times. The sessions last 2 1/2 hours each, so it's clear that they are very interesting, to hold the attention of such a large group for that length of time.

This week's Lenten Lun-

cheon at the Locke Mills Union Church on Thursday will be hosted by the ladies from the West Bethel Union Church. Area church groups take turns providing a simple luncheon of soup, sandwiches, cookies, and fruit. The Rev. Earl Bell will be this week's speaker.

Jane H. reported that she worked on Daffodil Days last Thursday, selling bunches of flowers to benefit the fight against breast cancer. She was amazed at how many folks stopped to buy the cheerful yellow blooms — and all for a good cause.

The Grange met last Thursday at the home of Ina and Rupert Grover. You remember that heating the Grange Hall in winter has become difficult, so it seems sensible to meet in homes until things warm up a bit more. Plans were afoot for taking in of new members Elsie Aylward and Serena Williams' mother. On Sunday the two ladies went to the Sabbathday Lake Grange where they went through the four degrees which lead to eligibility for full membership.

It was the turn of the West Bethel Union Church to staff the District Exchange last Saturday. One of the people who came in that day was a woman who was closing up her winter ski rental at Sunday River and looking for a place for all the unopened and unused food, drinks, and snacks left over from the ski season. She found just the right place. Now the food pantry can include some "extras" in their food boxes to supplement the basics. Sounds like a great plan. If you have a seasonal home or know of someone who does, give some thought to getting rid of food that you just don't want to haul back home by bringing it to the District Exchange's food pantry.

Mark your calendars for April 14 and 15. That weekend the Senior Players of Western Mountains Senior College will be presenting another program of short plays and readings. We are putting lots of time into rehearsals and gathering our costumes and props to entertain you. I'll give you more details in the next couple of weeks.

Meanwhile, call or write with your news: dhoeh@megalink.net; 836-3011.

Upton



by Eleanor LeComte

From what I hear, March seems to be going out like a lamb in Upton. Spring is here, the grass ain't riz, I wonder where the

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This week's Lenten Lun-

birdies? Well, I saw a flock of duck-like birds flying over New Symrna, headed north in a huge "V" formation. I think they were on their way to Upton. There is supposed to be a lot of cardinals down here, but to tell the truth I have seen only one.

Last Saturday while walking the pier at the Marina, a huge manatee surfaced in the river. It was at least 20 feet long and ugly as sin. I was surprised to see how tame it was. It let a man, who was on the pier, turn the hose on him. It loved it and kept coming back for more. The creature then surfaced underneath some shrubbery and had a great meal.

I see lots of interesting things on my morning walks. The surf at the beach has been very rough from onshore winds. There are riptides that keep the lifeguards quite busy.

Dune watching for tortoises and turtles can be quite interesting.

The flowers are beginning to put on a great show, with hibiscus, azaleas, "Bird of Paradise" and some other pretties that I can't name.

There is always something interesting going on at the Coast Guard Base. One day I spent some time watching sailors jump out of a helicopter and be rescued by pulling them back up into the "chopper."

We don't have any people news this week. I think that Upton is closed for mud season. According to Sue Angeline the snow is melting fast, but remember, as Yogi says, "It ain't over till it's over."

That robin that visited Sue is the "Bird of the Week."

Andover



by Melinda Averill

On Saturday we attended the spaghetti supper put on by Friends of Whitecap. What a delicious meal! Kudos to all the cooks. I didn't win any of the raffles though, and there were some very nice items.

The Dump Committee had its first meeting last Thursday. They will be starting on a multi-year plan on improvements and saving money. Anyone who would like to be a committee member, please call Susan Merrow at 392-2902. As summer residents start to come back, the transfer sta-

tion attendants will be checking for current dump stickers. Please be patient with them, as it is important to be sure that only Andover residents are using the transfer station. (Also, flattening your corrugated cardboard saves tax dollars!)

Sympathy is extended to the family of Gwen Briggs of Upton Road in Andover, who passed away on March 21. She is survived by three daughters, Belinda Poor and husband Peter of Andover, Sharon Farrington and husband Mark of East Andover, and Debra Gilsdorf, of Windsor, Colo.; and seven grandchildren. Funeral services were held on Friday in South Andover.

The Andover Elementary School fifth-grade class will be having a bottle drive this Saturday, March 31, starting at 9 a.m. It would be a good time to start spring cleaning and dig out all of your returnables.

Have a nice weekend.

Newry



by Sylvia Harrington

This Sunday, the WVSC will hold their annual election

of officers. The meeting starts at 7 p.m. at the Town Office. Club members are hoping for a good turnout at this next-to-last monthly meeting before the summer break, June through August. Anyone interested in attending this meeting is more than welcome.

Leon Dunn had a good Maple Syrup Sunday with people arriving around 9:30 a.m. to enjoy ice cream on the newly made syrup. He and Sandee said they had a good day, but due to the lack of sun in the afternoon the sap stopped running.

By the time I arrived around 3 p.m. there wasn't much to boil down. Leon said with a cold night expected it would be running Monday morning. Sandee told me Leon had been out around 6:30 a.m. to get the fire started and the sap to reach the right temperature for production.

A pair of chickadees was going in and out of a tilted nest on Saturday. Now that the snow level is decreasing the nest can be straightened before nesting begins.

News from the Town Office: The Board of Selectmen meets on the first and third Monday

of each month. The Planning Board members meet on the first and third Wednesday of each month.

Their agendas are posted at the Town Office. If you need more information about these meetings you may call the office at 824-3123. All meetings at the Town Office are open to the public.

The town of Newry now has the Rapid Renewal program. This program through the Maine government allows residents to renew their vehicle registration online. If you would like to participate in this program, please call the Town Office.

Waterford



by Rockie Graham

There's music in the air these mornings with the influx of songbirds.

Sometimes the feeders are full, but they don't come until 10 of 7 in the morning. I guess they'll be here earlier as the season goes on and it gets light earlier. It's amazing to watch their behavior toward each other; a definite pecking order exists.

On Sunday Dave and I attended the semi-annual Rotary Breakfast in Bethel. As usual the food was good and we got to see all our friends. They got to raise money for their projects.

After breakfast, Dave and I headed for Augusta where we bought a Bo Flex machine complements of Uncle Henry's. We set it up in the living room and so far (Monday night) have used it twice. It would have been great to have it all winter to stay in shape when the roads were too icy to walk. Tasha isn't too sure about it because it doesn't include her, but she'll get used to it.

Thursday, the 29th, (that's tonight) the Mountain Poets will meet at the Fare Share Common on Main Street in Nor-

way at 7 p.m. All area poets are welcome. Come and share or just listen. All are welcome. For more information, please call Lisa at 743-9808 or Rockie at 743-0583.

The 29th Waterford Library will hold two discussions of "Yeh Yeh's House" by Evelina Chao. The discussions are at 10 a.m. and at 7 p.m. For more information, call 583-2050. Norway Library will also hold one at 7 p.m.

Friday, the 30th, at 7 p.m., Mahoosuc Land Trust will hold a program entitled Climate Change in the Northeast and its impact on Winter Recreation by Dr. Cameron Wake. It will be held at Gould Academy in Bingham Auditorium. Cost is \$5 for adults.

In Norway on Friday at 7 p.m., open mic night will be held at First Universalist Church, 479 Main Street. Sign up begins at 6:30 p.m. Admission is \$3 and refreshments will be available. For more information, call Heather at 935-4505.

Sunday be careful of shenanigans as it is April Fool's Day.

Enjoy the spring-like days when they come and know that if it snows again, it won't last long. Have a great week.

Hanover



by Clem Worcester

The Hanover Planning Board met on March 21, to continue discussions about a proposed three-lot subdivision on South Shore Road. The Board found the application to be complete.

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but was reluctant to agree to the developer's request to waive the Subdivision Ordinance requirement that the road be upgraded for year-around use. Currently, the town does not maintain the South Shore Road in the winter.

To gain more insight for the feelings of Hanover citizens and others who have an interest in the Howard Pond area the Planning Board has scheduled a Public Hearing to be on Wednesday, April 18, at the Hanover Town House at 12 Howard Pond Road. The hearing will begin at 6 p.m. There is a Planning Board meeting scheduled for April 4, at 6 p.m. at the Hanover Town Office.

In other town news, the Hanover assessors will meet on Saturday, March 31, at the Town Office between the hours of 9 and 10 a.m. so that citizens who wish may bring property evaluation problems to the Board's attention.

The Rumford Point Community Athletic Association will be having baseball sign-ups at the Hanover Town Office on Tuesday, April 3, from 6 to 8 p.m. In the event of bad weather the sign-ups will be at the same time on April 10.

The Hanover Town Office will be closed all day on Friday, March 30, so that the staff can take advantage of training in Lewiston.

Everett Tucker, who grew up on the Jed Martin Road in Rumford Point, recently passed away out of state. He was the son of and second child of the late Dan and Althea Tucker. Everett had worked as a welder on ships. A service will be at a Peru cemetery in the spring. We extend sympathy to the relatives.

Warmer weather has reduced the snow pack quite significantly and many doorways have become some of the greatest mud holes you could

imagine. There is no indication yet that the ice is about to leave the Androscoggin River or Howard Pond.

Mason

by Richard Grover

Because we live on a dead-end road, with the Telemark Inn at the far

end about two miles up hill, the UPS trucks leave Telemark Inn packages next to their mailbox, which is next to our upper driveway. Our dog, Snuffy, has come to know the UPS truck drivers quite well as he greets them at the mailbox every time they stop. The drivers then give him a dog biscuit. Sometimes, the UPS truck comes up our driveway with a package. At these times, Snuffy usually barks once as they make the turn into the driveway. When they stop by our garage to get out the package, Snuffy jumps right in and checks out the truck, where he usually gets another dog biscuit, wagging his tail the whole time. By now, he recognizes the UPS truck when it makes the turn about 1/4 mile before it gets here, barks and trots down to the side of the road for his biscuit. A couple days ago, after the snow melted around the mailboxes, I saw at least three uneaten dog biscuits on the ground where Snuffy had dropped them when the UPS driver wasn't looking!

I'm into making maple syrup again this spring as I do every year. As part of the process, I often keep feeding the sap fire into the evening after dark. Last week, I happened to shine the flashlight into Snuffy's eyes, when I noticed something odd. He has one brown and one blue eye due to

the shepherd/husky mix. But after dark, the blue eye looks green in the light, while the brown eye looks red!

Mason Kids

By Coulton Williams

Galen Topper just went to Santa Fe, N.M. to visit his brother Hakan and sister-in-law Colleen who live down there. They went to a restaurant called the Bull Ring. He said this establishment had the best steak he ever had. They went to Colorado to go skiing at Wolf's Creek. He thought the cliffs on the ski trails were amazing. Outside their hotel there was a sulfur hot spring to soak in at the end of the day.

Here are the voting results for a storm happening on Easter: 5 yes and 3 no.

West Paris

by Joyce Lamb

The calendar said that spring was here and now it looks like. A lot of the snow has melted. Every time the sun comes out the water runs down the drive. There is too much snow plowed onto the flowerbed so no blossoms as yet. In the fall I did put in more bulbs and if the moles did not feast all winter on them there should be a lot of color on my middle flowerbed.

At the West Paris Universalist Church on Sunday, April 1, the Norway Youth Group will conduct the service at 9 a.m. Jim Burke is the organist. A coffee hour follows.

Meryl Gzinski and Niga Diaz of Tampa, Fla., visited Jim and Peg Perham. Jarah Wilson and Nardia Ward and new baby, Caden George, joined them for dinner. Caden George was born on Feb. 23 to Shawn and Jarah Wilson. He is Joe and Peg Perham's great-grandson.

The walking is getting more enjoyable for the days are warmer and there is less ice on the roads and sidewalks.

The squirrels have disappeared but I do hear something gnawing in the wall.

Good old houses are nice but a rock foundation under just the center of the building leaves a lot of space for critters.

Albany

by Sheila Dyke

Greetings and hello from Albany Township. Spring is here, and the weather is in sync with the calendar. Feels so nice to go outside without a heavy, bulky coat on. Plus, with the way heating fuel costs are rising, I'll bet many folks out there are just squeaking out whatever heat we have.

We spoke with a cousin of Pam and Carleton Rugg's a couple of weeks ago who told us that Pam and Carleton were making good time in their trek along the Appalachian Trail. However, we haven't heard anything more. I hope to have something more for next week's column.

Best wishes for a happy and safe week. God bless and keep!

From

Oxford County Democrats

Democratic National Committeeman Sam Spencer of Portland was the featured speaker at the March meeting of the Oxford County Democrats held on March 25 at the Fare Share Common in Norway.

Spencer spoke about the changes at the national level resulting from the commitment of Party Chair Howard Dean to a 50-state strategy. As an early and enthusiastic supporter of Governor Dean for chair, Spencer stated that the successes in the fall election demonstrated that the strategy of supporting state parties in building the grassroots has begun to work. He reported on the 2008 presidential campaign and said that the Feb. 5 date seems to be shaping up as a "national primary" which

certainly is accelerating the process toward final selection of a nominee.

There was a lively discussion, facilitated by Spencer and County Chair Cathy Newell, on the personal preferences of those in attendance. While several spoke of the strong field and the great qualifications of all candidates, announced or unannounced, there seemed to be most interest from more than one person in Senator Edwards, Governor Richardson, and Vice-President Al Gore. Senators Barack Obama and Hilary Rodham Clinton each had a single supporter in the group. All agreed that their support was still in the exploratory stage and look forward to following the campaigns and asked that Spencer do what he could to bring prospects to Maine.

Myra Bethell of Fryeburg announced that Senator Edwards will be the speaker at the Carroll County Democrats' Cleveland Dinner on May 12 in Bartlett N.H. Nancy Willard of Woodstock reported on a good turnout of more than a dozen Oxford County Democrats at Senator Clinton's Town Hall Meeting in Berlin N.H.

Senator Bruce Bryant, Rep. Terry Hayes, and Rep. Tim Carter reported on activities in the Legislature highlighting the bond package hearings, the status of school administration consolidation, and tax reform proposals. Bryant stated that "the action is really picking up."

All extended a personal invitation from themselves and Rep. John Patrick and Rep. Larry Sirois, for Democrats and friends to come to the State House on Thursday, April 26, for Oxford County Democrats Day. The legislators will be working with House and Senate leadership to line up special meetings during the day.

Anyone interested in more information on the legislative day may contact Cathy Newell at 875-2116 or cathynewell@megalink.net.

Additional updates were given on the March Democratic State Committee meeting by Nancy Willard and on The Lightbulb Project by Toni Seger.

Brandon Maheu, field director for central and western Maine updated the committee on activities planned by the state party and he and Newell reported on the schedule of events for the coming months.

In other business, Cathy Newell reported that the website updating has begun and now features a photo gallery of Oxford County Democrats over the past few years, and updated links to elected representatives. Additional features are planned, including a blog and links to presidential campaigns. The site is www.oxforddem.org. She gave credit to Vice Chair Roy Gedat for his work on the e-newsletter that has been well received. Those wishing to be added to the e-newsletter list may contact Newell at cathynewell@megalink.net.

From

Oxford County Republicans

Scott Moody, Vice President of Policy and Chief Economist of the Maine Heritage Policy Center in Portland, will be the featured speaker at the April 10 monthly meeting of the Oxford County Republican Committee to be held at the North Waterford Congregational Church, beginning with a 5:30 p.m. social hour. Dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m. followed by the speaker and a brief business meeting. All area Republicans are cordially invited to attend.

James Hodgkin, Superintendent of School for SAD43, was the featured speaker at the March 13 meeting of the Oxford County Republican Committee held at the Mexico Congregational (Green) Church on Main Street, Mexico. Hodgkin spoke on the Governor's proposal to consolidate school administrations throughout the state into a smaller number of units. He urged some kind of reform that would result in greater efficiency, but did not think the "one size fits all" legislation proposed by the Baldacci administration would succeed in passing the Maine Legislature.

During the business meeting, Chairman Dan Bolling announced that the Lincoln Day Dinner on Feb. 24 was very successful in raising

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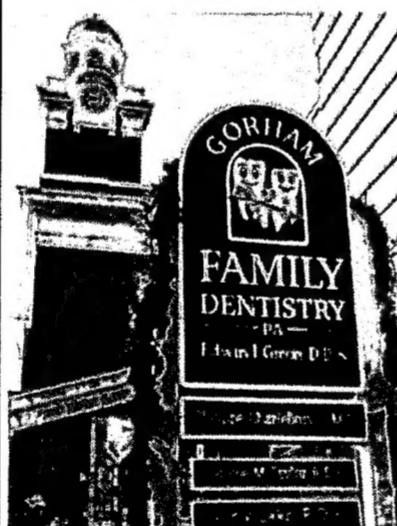
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funds for the County Committee. State Committeewoman Becky Kendall reported on the recent State Committee meeting in Augusta, where stress was placed on strengthening the town committees and the forthcoming workshop on political strategy in Augusta on March 28.

*From*Mahoosuc Arts Council

On Saturday, April 7, Those Jazz Guys will be performing an evening of your favorite jazz standards at The Sudbury Inn. The Mahoosuc Arts Council will present Those Jazz Guys, James McLaughlin on the baby grand piano, saxophone player, Tom Zicarelli, Don Williams, upright bass player, and Jerry Barry on drums, as they take you on a sentimental jazz journey.

James McLaughlin has been involved in music education as a private piano/theory instructor and clinician for many years. He has enjoyed a freelance-performing career playing nationally and internationally in venues such as "The Rainbow Room" and "Don't Tell Mamma" in New York City, and the "Foncleau" in Rome, Italy. He has shared the stage with notables such as Randy Brecker, Chris Vidala, Dick Johnson and Clarke Terry.

Tom Zicarelli attended Northwestern University and Berklee College of Music. He has also been a bandleader, composer, teacher of music and technology, and has even spent a year as a Weather Observer on the top of Mt. Washington. He composed the title track for a new Molly Flannery Quintet album, Slow Dance at the Asylum, playing the saxophone on most of the album's songs.

Local musicians, McLaughlin and Zicarelli, will be joined by guest bass player Don Williams and drummer Jerry Barry. Don Williams is a full-time musician based out of Plymouth, N.H., where he also gives private instruction at the Concord Community School. Jerry Barry, jazz performer/drummer with

the band "Raccoon Beach," from Windham, rounds out the quartet. His appearances include the Newport Jazz Festival at Saratoga, N.Y., The Blue Note in New York City, and Ryles Jazz Club in Boston. Jerry has studied drumming with renowned instructor, performer and recording artist Bob Gullotti.

Those Jazz Guys will be performing two sets from 7 to 10 p.m. Seating is limited. A cover charge of \$6, will benefit the Mahoosuc Arts Council, cocktails are extra. For more information, please call the Mahoosuc Arts office at 824-3575.

*From*O.C.R.S.W.C.

During the month of February 2007 Oxford County Recyclable Solid Waste Corporation (OCSRWC) processed the following:

Shipped 103.23 tons of material at an estimated sale value of \$16,624. Estimated cost to trash the same 103.23 tons of material, \$8,774.55 (based on average tipping and hauling fee of \$85 per ton).

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Recycled 143.77 tons or 287,540 pounds of material.

Recycled 84.70 tons of paper produce saving 1,439 trees. It takes 17 average sized trees to make one ton of paper.

Shipped 48.43 tons of corrugated cardboard with an estimated sale value of \$3,865.

Shipped 41.27 tons of newspapers, magazines and junk mail with an estimated sale value of \$3,502.

Shipped 18.54 of HDPE Code #2 plastic at an estimated sale value of \$9,166.

Congratulations to the following recycling teams: Tri-

Town for packing six out of six cardboard containers weighing in at over 1,000 pounds each; Stoneham/Waterford for packing one out of four cardboard containers weighing in at over 1,000 pounds each; West Paris for packing two out of four cardboard containers weighing in at over 1,000 pounds; and Sunday River for collecting 4.35 tons of cardboard.

Packing cardboard containers with over 1,000 pounds is time consuming. Hauling a fully loaded container to the recycling plant in Norway/Paris is cost efficient for the Corporation. We appreciate your efforts.

As the figures show, recycling does pay. Thank you for your participation.

*From*Maine Handicapped Skiing

Maine Handicapped Skiing, Maine's largest year-round adaptive recreation program for adults and children with physical disabilities, had their best fundraising event in their 25-year history, raising \$329,012 in pledges at their 22nd annual Ski-A-Thon, Saturday, March 24, at Sunday River Ski Resort and Sunday River Inn and Cross Country Ski Center.

The top fundraising team, Both Sides of the Pond, won the grand prize for fundraising with a record-breaking \$31,296, earning a five-day skiing package for five at an eastern ski resort. Andrew Pipe, for the second year in a row, was the top individual fundraiser at \$24,836, winning two round-trip airline tickets from Jet Blue. Pipe, a part-time res-

ident of Bethel, comes all the way from London, England to ski with the Maine Handicapped Skiing program every winter.

Over 630 skiers and riders and 135 volunteers from Maine and New England participated in the Ski-A-Thon, courtesy of Sunday River Ski Resort and the Sunday River Inn and Cross Country Ski Center.

Highlights of the event included free massages all day by the massage therapists of the Maine Sports Massage Team, a fantastic on-slope Obstacle Course, built and operated by the Parrot Head Club of Maine and a Fun Race at the Monday Mourning Race Course.

Mark Duhamel, 20-year volunteer at Maine Handicapped Skiing, was given the organization's highest honor, the 110-percent Award given to an individual, business or organization who has provided extraordinary service to MHS.

Duhamel has been a volunteer instructor at both Sugarloaf and Sunday River Ski Resort and has been very instrumental in bringing many new

participants to the MHS program.

To learn more about Maine Handicapped Skiing's adaptive recreational program for adults and children with physical disabilities, please call (800) 639-7770, e-mail MHS at info@skimhs.org or check out the MHS website at www.skimhs.org.

From
White Mountain National Forest

Thanks to the Friends of Tuckerman Ravine (FOTR), White Mountain National Forest Snow Rangers, who staff the Mt. Washington Avalanche Center, will have additional equipment on hand when accidents happen on New England's highest mountain.

Without support from volunteers like our Ski Patrol and cooperators like Friends of Tuckerman our job would be almost impossible."

The Forest Service staffs the Mt. Washington Avalanche Center to provide information and education about safe travel in the steep, mountainous

the purchase of search and rescue and incident management equipment. The funds were donated to Friends of Tucker man Ravine by a trust set up in memory of Nelson Gilder sleeve, a long-time member of the Mt. Washington Volunteer Ski Patrol.

According to Lead Snow Ranger Chris Joosen, the funding will be used to purchase rescue litters, backboards, oxygen supplies, and safety equipment.

"Having the right equipment available when emergencies happen is of critical importance for the snow ranger program, especially during late spring when the trail melts out and re-supply becomes very difficult."

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called — ethnic, baltic, '60s-style surf-rock with a twist. The Serfs call it Global Groove. Global, but it rocks.

In 1989, Gary Sredzinski was hired to be the strolling accordion player during a Polish wedding dinner. The dance band was The Beach Cowboys, a rockabilly and surf band from the Portsmouth, N.H. area. Sredzinski got up on stage and played a few songs with the band, and they've been playing together ever since under the name The Serfs, the world's first accordion surf band. Boldly going where few believe the accordions belongs!

Around Durham and the Seacoast, people know Sredzinski as "the Polka Guy" because of his radio show "Polka Party," on WUNH-FM but the show is only a small part of who he is and what he does. He's an anomaly: a full-time accordionist with a forestry degree, who left the field years ago to start his own "ethno-rock" band (The Serfs), with four compact discs on his own Bellows Music label and a gig at the Smithsonian on his resume.

Burt Feintuch, professor of folklore and English and director of the Center for the Humanities at UNH, described Sredzinski as an "accordion warrior" when he introduced him at the 1999 Smithsonian Folklife Festival in Washington, D.C. It is an apt description that has stuck with him. "Gary is a crusader for older forms of music that aren't well known in this region, and he has such a strong commitment to those forms and such a compelling physical presence, especially when he is performing, that I thought 'warrior' was appropriate," Feintuch explains.

Sredzinski has helped create a truly new and original sound, along with his bandmates, fusing old world musical traditions and compositions of the accordion warrior with a modern rock twist. Band members are Jamie DeCato on drums, Chris

DeCato on guitar, Jim Taylor on bass guitar, and Gary Sredzinski on accordion.

Tickets for the performance are \$6 adults and \$4 for students. For more information, please call 824-3575.

From

Bethel Historical Society's Regional History Center

A \$500 discretionary grant to the Bethel Historical Society for its 2007 Lecture Series: "Maine Character and Characters" has been received from the Maine Humanities Council, according to Stanley R. Howe, executive director. The grant will assist the society in bringing a broad range of speakers and topics to the society as part of its 2007 program offerings. Lectures made possible in part by this grant include, May 10, "Maine-Hawaii Connections," Paul Burlin, Ph.D., dean, College of Arts and Sciences, University of New England; June 14, "A Painter's Progress: The Life, Work, and Travels of Harrison Bird Brown," Earle G. Shettleworth, Jr., director, Maine Historic Preservation Commission and State Historian; Aug. 10, Hall Memorial Lecture, "Oxford County Mines and Miners," Vandall T. King, author, Rochester, N.Y.; Sept. 18, Annual Meeting, "Joshua Gross Rich (1820-1897): Western Maine Pioneer and Wildlife Writer," William B. Krohn, Ph.D., USGS Biological Resources Division, Maine Cooperative Fish and Wildlife Research Unit, University of Maine at Orono; Oct. 11, "The Spruce Gum Industry of Maine," David Fuller, Agricultural and Natural Resources Professional, University of Maine Extension Service; Nov. 8, "Elizabeth Mason Carter: A Centennial Retrospective," Stanley R. Howe, Ph.D., executive director, Bethel Historical Society.

"We are indeed grateful to the Maine Humanities Coun-

cil for this support," Howe said in announcing the grant. "It helps us keep our programming strong and varied," he added.

In addition to its annual lecture series, programming at the Bethel Historical Society also includes courses, workshops, school presentations and special events throughout the year.

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Sunday River Christian Ministry

The Sunday River Christian Ministry is encouraging the folks joining us for our Easter Mountaintop Sunrise Service to bring an item for the Bethel Food Pantry restocking. One can make a difference with a bit of planning and giving.

How to find us: follow signs on Route 2/26 to Sunday River Ski Resort; follow signs and turn left toward Barker Mountain area, park near Barker Mountain Ski Lodge, then proceed slopeside. The lodge will be open with public restrooms, but the cafeteria will be closed at that time. A container for donated items will be at the base of Lift #1; attendants will assist skiers/non-skiers on/off the free lift (you will receive a Single Ride Ticket); identified SRCM Board of Directors members will assist you with a brochure of music.

You'll be standing for about an hour on the snow, so dress accordingly. The service starts when the last participant leaves the lift and Lift #1 is turned off. Non-skiers will download onto the lift for the return ride down to Barker Mountain Lodge; skiers/riders may take one run down an open slope.

What if? Cloudy, snowy weather? We'll have the mountaintop service. Pouring rain? We'll move inside to Barker Mountain Lodge.



BIB ADVENTURE CLIMBING TEAM—Front: Shaynah Seames. Missing from photo: Maggie Bergeron. Back: Coach Chris Hayward, Max Southam, Kyler Walker, Anna Skellenger-Clark, Autumn Koch, Mitch Lehman. Middle: Tucker Hayward, Luke Hayward, Hannah Koch, Griffin Lehman. The next competition will take place on April 7 at the White Mountain School in Bethlehem, N.H.

School Lunch

Week of April 2

Telstar and Middle School Lunches

Monday: Chicken fajitas, tortilla chip, peas, bread stick, tossed salad, fruit bar, choice of milk.

Tuesday: Sausage links, mashed potato, corn, cinnamon roll, Italian ice, milk choice.

Wednesday: Rice bar. Choice of brown or white rice, wonder bites, broccoli, fruit bar, milk choice.

Thursday: Cheese stuffed shells, extra sauce, peas, bread sticks, tossed salad, fruit bar, milk choice.

Friday: Choice of macaroni or potato salad, ham or turkey slices, dinner roll, carrot sticks, fruit bar, milk choice.

Served Daily: hot sandwich choices, salad choices, pizza choice (Monday-Wednesday-Friday), Deli sandwich bar (Tuesday-Thursday).

SAD44 Elementary Schools Lunches

Monday: Macaroni and cheese, cinnamon bun, green beans, salad bar, fruit, milk.

Tuesday: Chicken fajita wrap, salsa, peas, salad bar, fruit, milk.

Wednesday: Pepperoni pizza, corn, salad bar, fruit, milk.

Thursday: Grilled cheese sandwich, tomato soup, salad bar, fruit, milk.

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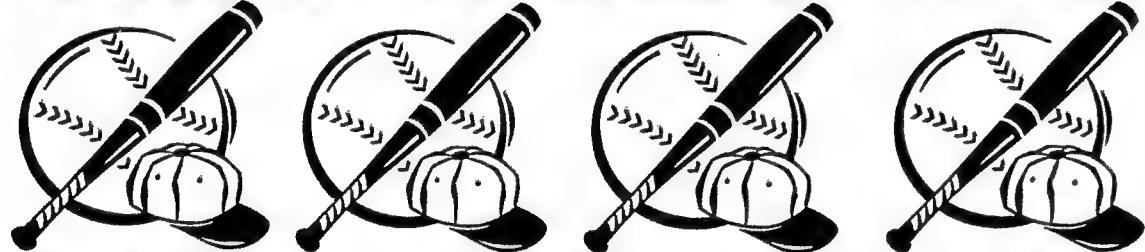
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Telstar Middle/High School 2007 SPRING SPORTS SCHEDULE

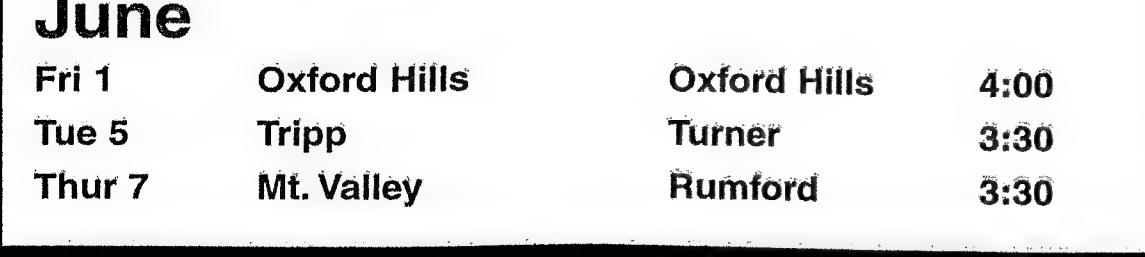
HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL/SOFTBALL

DATE	TEAM	PLACE	TIME
April			
Mon 9	Sacopee Valley*	Sacopee	4:00
Wed 11	Fryeburg*	Fryeburg	4:00
Sat 14	Gould (Bb only)*	Gould	1:00
Mon 16	Dirigo	Dixfield	1:00
Wed 18	Richmond*	Telstar	12:00
Thur 19	Gould (Sb only)*	Telstar	4:00
Fri 20	Hebron (Bb only)*	Hebron	4:00
Sat 21	Sacopee Valley*	Telstar	1:00
Mon 23	Mt. Abram	Telstar	4:30
Wed 25	Monmouth	Telstar	4:30
Thur 26	Gould (Sb only)*	Gould	4:00
Fri 27	Boothbay	Boothbay	4:00
Mon 30	Livermore Falls	Telstar	4:30
May			
Wed 2	Hebron (Sb only)*	Telstar	3:30
Fri 4	Madison	Madison	4:00
Sat 5	Gould (Bb only)*	Telstar	4:00
Mon 7	Lisbon	Lisbon	4:00
Wed 9	Carrabec	Telstar	4:30
Fri 11	Wiscasset	Wiscasset	4:00
Mon 14	Dirigo	Telstar	4:00
Wed 16	Winthrop	Telstar	4:30
Fri 18	Hall-Dale	Farmingdale	4:00
Mon 21	Mt. Valley	Telstar	4:00
Wed 23	Jay	Jay	4:00
Fri 25	Georges Valley	Thomaston	4:00
Tue 29	MVC Champ Game	Thomas College	
June			
Tue 5	Prelims		TBD
Thur 7	Quarterfinals		TBD
Sat 9	Semifinals		TBD
Tue 12/Wed 13	Reg. Finals		TBD
Sat 16	State Finals		TBD
*= Non-League Games			



MIDDLE SCHOOL BASEBALL/SOFTBALL

DATE	TEAM	PLACE	TIME
April			
Tue 24	Jay	Telstar	3:30
Thur 26	Madison	Telstar	3:30
May			
Tue 1	Dirigo	Dixfield	3:30
Thur 3	Livermore	Telstar	3:30
Tue 8	Carrabec	No. Anson	3:30
Thur 10	Oxford Hills	Telstar	4:00
Tue 15	Mt. Valley	Telstar	3:30
Thur 17	Jay	Jay	3:30
Tue 22	Madison	Madison	3:30
Thur 24	Dirigo	Telstar	3:30
Tue 29	Livermore	Livermore	3:30
Thur 31	Carrabec	Telstar	3:30
June			
Fri 1	Oxford Hills	Oxford Hills	4:00
Tue 5	Tripp	Turner	3:30
Thur 7	Mt. Valley	Rumford	3:30



HIGH SCHOOL TRACK & FIELD

DATE	TEAMS	TIME	PLACE
April			
Tue 24	Lis/Mad/Carr	Telstar	4:00
Mon 30	Heb/SV	Telstar	4:00
May			
Thur 3	Dir/Mt.V/LF/Valley	Telstar	4:00
Mon 7	Mon/Booth/Wis/HD	Hall-Dale	4:00
Thur 10	Booth/Wis/MtA/Carr/Jay	Boothbay	4:00
Mon 14	Win/Jay/MtA/Mon/Booth	Telstar	4:00
Thur 17	Dir/MtV/Win/Wis/Mad/LF	Telstar	4:00
Mon 21	Qualifying Meet	TBA	TBA
Fri 25	MVC Track Meet	Cony	2:00



MIDDLE SCHOOL TRACK & FIELD

DATE	TEAMS	TIME	PLACE
May			
Wed 2	Mad/Carr	Telstar	3:30
Wed 9	Jay/MtV/Tripp	Tripp	3:30
Wed 16	Jay/Dirigo	Jay	3:30
Wed 23	Dirigo/MtV	Telstar	3:30
Wed 30	Carr/Dir/Jay/Mad/MV	Tripp	3:30

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Events Calendar

9 a.m. (Fridays) — Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge at Fare Share Food Coop, 443 Main Street, Norway. For more information, call Mimi Bell (743-8081) or Rowena Palmer (743-2882) or e-mail bridge@megalink.net.

Every Wednesday, 7 to 9 p.m. — The Yet To be Named Banjo Club practices in the Commons of the Fare Share Market at 477 Main Street, Norway. Interested banjoists are invited to join. The public is welcome to come in and listen. FMI: call Alan Hamilton at 875-2680.

Thru March 31 — New show at the Commons Art Gallery, 447 Main Street, Norway, featuring: Don Best and Diana Arcadipone. Gallery Hours: Thursday-Friday 3-6 p.m., Saturday 10 a.m.-2 p.m. or through Fare Share Market.

.7 p.m. (second Tuesday each month) — Open mike original poetry reading at Mouse and Bean, 63 Main Street, Bethel. FMI: 824-2366. Come read or just have coffee and take in the scene.

Thursday, March 29

10:30 a.m. and 7 p.m. — Waterford Library will host two discussions of "Yeh Yeh's House" by Evelina Chao, the 2007 selection of Oxford Hills Reads, One Book One Community Program. FMI: 583-2050 or e-mail the library at wla@waterford.lib.me.us.

Friday, March 30

7 p.m. — Mahoosuc Land Trust Special Public Program — "Climate Change in the Northeast and its Impact on Winter Recreation" by Dr. Cameron Wake, Research Associate Professor at the Climate Change Research Center at University of New Hampshire will be held at Gould Academy's Bingham Auditorium, Church Street, Bethel. Cost: \$5 for adults.

7 p.m. — Open Mic Night at First Universalist Church, 479 Main Street, Norway. Sign-up begins 6:30 p.m. Admission: \$3. Refreshments available. Open to all. FMI: call Heather at 935-4505 or e-mail vessel@pxexar.com.

Saturday, March 31

Pole, Paddle and Paw at Sunday River Inn and Cross Country Ski Center. Nordic skiing and snowshoeing. Teams of two dress in costume and ski, canoe and snowshoe. \$40 per team. Call 824-2410 for details or visit www.sundayriverinn.com.

Bottle Drive by Andover Elementary School fifth-grade class starting at 9 a.m.

9 a.m. to 4 p.m. — Improving Your Photography — using camera settings, lighting, and composition — by Dirk McKnight at Telstar Regional High School. Cost: \$85. Please pre-register by calling 392-1474 or e-mail info@dirkphoto.com.

1 p.m. — Chinese Auction at Oxford Hills Comprehensive High School. Doors open 11 a.m. 10 tickets \$2.50, 50 tickets \$10. 50/50 raffle, table items. Lunch, snacks available. Proceeds benefit Oxford Hills Project Graduation.

2 p.m. — Finnish Dancing beginners' workshop at Finnish-American Heritage Center, 8 Maple Street, West Paris. Free and open to public. No partner required.

4 to 6:30 p.m. — Public Corned Beef and Cabbage Supper at Rock-O-Dundee Rider's Clubhouse, Paine Road, East Oxford. Menu: Corned Beef, mashed potato, all traditional veggies, rolls, homemade pies and beverage. Price: Adults \$7.

Sunday, April 1

2 p.m. — REACH "Speak Out!" will be held at REACH office, One East Main Street, South Paris. Victims, survivors, friends, family and others in the community invited to take part. Refreshments provided. (Not appropriate for children under 16.) FMI: 743-9777.

Monday and Tuesday, April 2 and 3 Auditions for musical "Guys and Dolls" at Schoolhouse Arts Center, Sebago Lake, Monday

5:30 to 8 p.m. and Tuesday, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Bring a song (with sheet music); an accompanist provided. Be prepared to do cold readings from the script. FMI: 642-3743.

Tuesday, April 3

7 p.m. — Public Hearing at Telstar Regional High School library for proposed Region 9 FY08 budget.

1 to 7 p.m. — Annual Blood Drive at Maine Veterans' Home, 477 High Street, South Paris. Walk-ins welcome.

Thursday, April 5

6 p.m. — Telstar Middle School Talent Show in Telstar High School Auditorium sponsored by Telstar Middle School Leadership Committee. Doors open 5:30 p.m. Variety of student performances and a bag raffle of items and gift certificates donated by Bethel area businesses. Admission is \$3 and raffle tickets are \$1 each. All funds raised will be donated to the Make-A-Wish Foundation of Maine. In case of school or after-school cancellation, the event will be held April 6 at the same time. Anyone who cannot attend but would like to make a donation may contact Melissa Prescott at 824-2136 x228. FMI: call the same number or e-mail prescotm@sad44.org.

7 p.m. — "The Serfs," Gary Sredzinski and the retro '60s rock-and-roll band, highlight the Performing Arts Series at Gould Academy in Bingham Hall. Tickets for the performance are \$6 adults and \$4 for students. For more information, call 824-3575.

Friday and Saturday, April 6 and 7

7:30 p.m. — Oddfellow Theater, Route 117, Buckfield, presents "Altered Egos" with Mike Miclon who will be joined by two of his alter egos, Moto Hoonchbach and Dickie Hyper-Hynic. Doors open at 7 p.m. Cost: \$12 for adults, \$10 for seniors, and \$6 for children 12 and under. Tickets: available by calling box office at 336-3306 Visa and Master Card accepted.

7:30 p.m. — "Goldberg Variations" by Johann Sebastian Bach will be performed by pianist Steven Pane at Nordica Auditorium, University of Maine at Farmington. Tickets: \$7 for adults and \$6 for senior citizens. (Not recommended for young children.) FMI: 778-7288.

Saturday, April 7

9 to 10:30 a.m. — Learn about organic farmers and food at Fare Share Commons, Main Street, Norway, hosted by The Weston A. Price Foundation. FMI: Donna Dodge, 739-2600, eatsmart@megalink.net or www.westonaprice.org.

10 a.m. — Easter Egg Hunt at Newry Grange Hall, Bear River Road, sponsored by Mystery 4-H group and town of Newry. Eggs, candy and prizes. Come and join in the celebration.

11 a.m. to noon — Vinegar of the Four Thieves at McLaughlin Garden, Main Street, South Paris. Learn story behind this herbal insecticide tincture, the herbs involved, and start the process to finish at home, just in time for bug season. \$8 for members; \$10 for non-members. Please pre-register by calling 743-8820.

5:30 p.m. — Silent Auction at Oxford Hills Comprehensive High School. Doors open 3:30 p.m. 50/50, dollar table, food. Benefits Oxford County Fair.

7 to 10 p.m. — Those Jazz Guys, a popular jazz group presented by The Mahoosuc Arts Council, will perform two sets at The Sudbury Inn. Seating is limited. A cover charge of \$6, will benefit the

Support Services

ABUSED WOMEN'S ADVOCACY PROJECT

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5086; 24 hour hotline 1-800-559-2927

AA MEETINGS

Bethel Freedom Group's Big Book Meeting Sundays at 6pm at the United Methodist Church, Main Street.

Bethel Freedom Group's Speaker/Discussion Meeting. Tuesdays at 6pm at the United Methodist Church, Main Street.

Bethel Freedom Group's 12 Step/Traditions Meeting. Fridays at 7:30pm at Bethel United Methodist Church.

ADDITION HELP

Narconon, a nonprofit public benefit organization that specializes in helping people with drug or alcohol addictions offers FREE assessments and more than 11,000 local referrals through the 800 line. Drug addiction can be overcome and Narconon can help. Call (800) 556-8885 or visit www.drugrehab.net.

ALCOHOL & DRUG COUNSELING

Alcohol and drug counseling. Saturdays at Bethel Counseling Center, 16 Parkway (Professional Building). Tom Kelly, LADC, 357-7354

EXCHANGES

District Exchange Community Thrift Shop accepts donations of in-season clothing in clean, wearable condition only. Drop-off hours and shopping: Monday 1-4pm, Thursday 4-6pm and Saturday, 10am-12pm.

The Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church Community Service Center announces that individuals or families requiring assistance with food needs in the South Woodstock, Bryant Pond, West Paris and Sumner areas are invited to call 674-2566, 674-2663, or 665-2226 to learn more details.

MS SUPPORT GROUP

Meets the first Friday of the month from 1-2:30pm at the West Parish Congregational Church, next to Gould Academy. For more information, call Gale Tout at 836-2900.

MENTAL ILLNESS SUPPORT GROUP

Beacon House Social Club, 150 Congress Street, Rumford, a drop-in social club for adults suffering with mental, emotional, or physical illness, provides support, relaxation, and socialization. Monday 1 to 5pm; Tuesday 9am-2pm; Wednesday 9am-8pm; Wednesday 3-8pm; Friday 2-7pm; Saturday 11am-4pm. Oxford County Mental Health Services, support for adults and children with mental illness, same location, second floor, open Monday-Friday 8am-4pm. For more information, call 364-3549 or (800) 335-9999, or in off-hours 928-3222.

POST PARTUM SUPPORT GROUP

"Meet the Midwives" meets from 5:30 every first Tuesday of the month, and the Post Partum Support Group meets every fourth Wednesday of the month from 6:30-7:30. The meetings take place at Blue Moon Midwives, 176 Main Street, Norway, directly across from Stephen's Memorial Hospital. For more information, call 207-739-2800 or visit www.bluemoonmidwives.com

REACH

Rape Education and Crisis Hotline 1-800-871-7741. Sexual assault/sexual abuse hotline, same number. Support groups and awareness education, past or present victims of abuse.

VETERANS' SERVICES (STATE/VA BENEFITS)

Maine Veterans Home, S. Paris, first Wednesday each month, 9-12 noon (743-6300); Career Center in Rumford (364-3718), second Thursday 9-12 noon; Lewiston (795-4590), 29 Westminster St., 7:30am to 4pm, Monday thru Friday. Location: Monday-Sunday School 2:45-4:15pm. Tel. 392-4841.

Library Hours

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1-4:30pm; Thursday 6-8pm. Tel: 392-4841

Bethel Library: Monday 9am-1pm; Tuesday, 1-5pm; Wednesday 1-8pm; Thursday & Friday 1-5pm; Saturday, 9-1pm. Story Hour Mondays, 10-11am October to May. Michelle Conroy, Librarian, 824-2520.

Crescent Park Elementary School: Open every Wednesday evening from 6-8pm to the public.

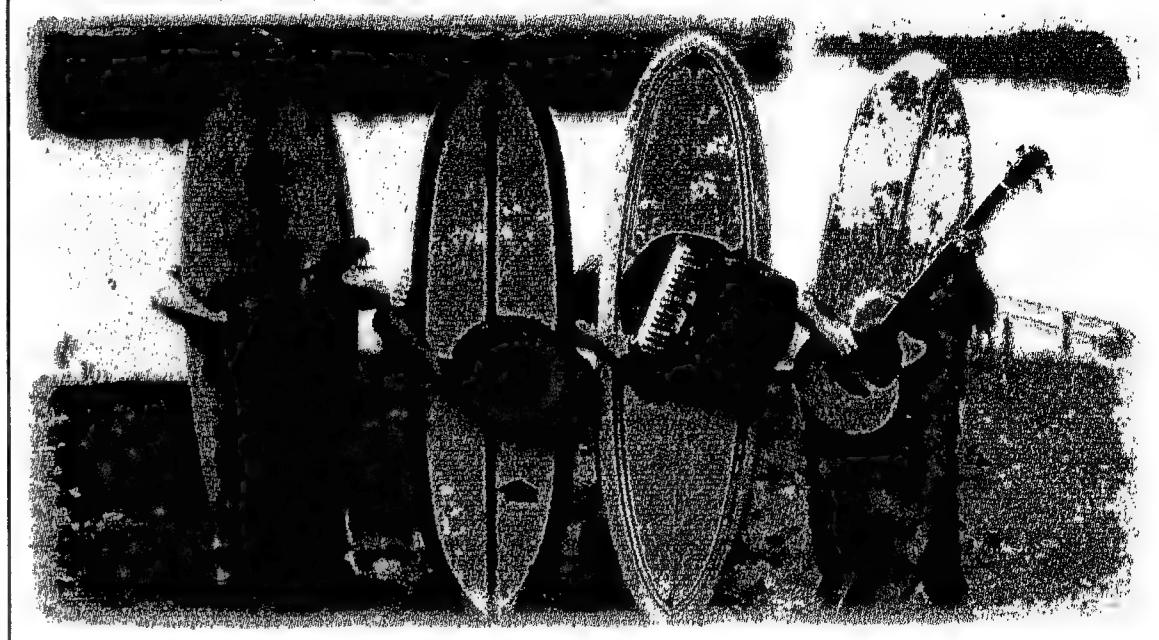
Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill: Tuesday-Friday 11:30-5:30; Saturday 10-2; Wednesday evening 7-9pm. Tel. 743-2980

Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 665-2505, Tuesday 1:30-5pm; Thursday 1:30-7pm.

West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 1:30-5pm; Wednesday 1:30-7pm; Friday 1:30-5pm. 674-2004

Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover: Wednesday, 10-12.

Upton Library: Saturdays 9-11am



Accordion Warrior Meets Surf Band

An accordion-fronted surf band. You might not want to miss this show. Ethnic instrumentals and EX-treme polkas performed by the "accordion warrior", Gary Sredzinski and the retro '60s rock-and-roll band, "The Serfs" highlight the Performing Arts Series at Gould Academy on Thursday, April 5 at 7:00 PM in Bingham Hall.

The style of music might be called... ethnic-, baltic-, '60s-style surf-rock with a twist. The Serfs call it Global Groove. Global, but it rocks.

In 1989, Gary Sredzinski was hired to be the strolling accordion player during a Polish wedding dinner. The dance band was, The Beach Cowboys, a rockabilly and surf band from the Portsmouth, N.H. area. Sredzinski got up on stage and played a few songs with the band, and they've been playing together ever since under the name The Serfs, the world's first accordion surf band. Boldly going where few believe the accordion belongs!

Around Durham and the Seacoast, people know Sredzinski as "the Polka Guy" because of his radio show "Polka Party," on WUNH-FM but the show is only a small part of who he is and what he does. He's an anomaly: a full-time accordionist with a forestry degree, who left the field years ago to start his own "ethno-rock" band (The Serfs), with four compact discs on his own Bellows Music label and a gig at the Smithsonian on his resume.

Burt Feintuch, professor of folklore and English and director of the Center for the Humanities at UNH, described Sredzinski as an "accordion warrior" when he introduced him at the 1999 Smithsonian Folklife Festival in Washington, D.C. It is an apt description that has stuck with him. "Gary is a crusader for older forms of music that aren't well known in this region, and he has such a strong commitment to those forms and such a compelling physical presence, especially when he is performing, that I thought 'warrior' was appropriate," Feintuch explains.

Sredzinski has helped create a truly new and original sound, along with his bandmates, fusing old world musical traditions and compositions of the accordion warrior with a modern rock twist. Band members are Jamie DeCato on drums, Chris DeCato on guitar, Jim Taylor on bass guitar, and Gary Sredzinski on accordion.

"If ever you thought it was impossible to rock with an accordion, your bubble gets burst right here. Fuzz guitar, rockin' combo drums, thumping bass, and accordion playing lead. With fezzes on heads and Bermudas on their bottoms, the Serfs grinningly prance into your heart."

Tickets for the performance are \$6 adults and \$4 for students. For more information, please call 824-3575.

Mahoosuc Arts Council, cocktails are extra. For more information, call the Mahoosuc Arts office at 824-3575.

Big Brothers Big Sisters Bowl for Kids' fundraiser at Hobbs Lucky Lanes on Route 26, South Paris. Prizes, grand prize, and awards. To participate: call 743-7035 or e-mail info@childhealthcenter.org.

Saturday and Sunday, April 7 and 8

At Sunday River Ski Resort: Nickelodeon Kids' Snow Festival include two performances by world-renowned Russian American Kids Circus, an outdoor festival featuring a concert by kids' band Hot Peas 'n' Butter, visits from SpongeBob, SquarePants and Dora the Explorer costume characters, and Easter activities. The Russian American Kids Circus, an ensemble of circus artists ages 6-16, will present two shows during the weekend. Show times are 7 p.m. on Saturday, April 7 and 4 p.m. on Sunday, April 8 at the Grand Summit

Hotel Grand Ballroom. For ticket information, call 824-3575. For further information on the Circus, visit www.rakidscircus.org or more information on the entire weekend visit www.sundayriver.com. A sunrise Easter service will be offered at the top of Sunday River's Barker Mountain, followed by a visit from the Easter Bunny and an Easter egg hunt at 9 a.m.

It's always wise to call ahead

Listings in The Citizen's weekly Community Calendar are compiled from a wide variety of sources. While we do our utmost to ensure the reliability of the information presented here, we recognize that when dealing with such a large volume of material, some inaccuracies will occasionally creep in. And in other cases, a sponsoring organization's plans may change between the time The Citizen is printed and the event is held. Accordingly, we strongly urge our readers to call ahead to verify the details of any event they plan to attend. Doing so will greatly reduce the chance of disappointment or needless inconvenience.

Church Services

ALBANY

Congregational Church - Hunts corner, 9:30 a.m. Sunday worship and Sunday School at 9 am; Pastor Eddie Gammon. Bible Study 6:30 Thursdays at the home of Fernand Corriveau.

ANDOVER

First Congregational Church Rev. Jane Rich. Sunday morning worship 10 a.m. followed by coffee fellowship. All are welcome. FMI: 392-3761.

Calvary Bible Church

- Pastor Ken Wagstaff. Morning worship 10:45am-Noon with a Sunday School 9:30-

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THURSDAY EVENING MARCH 29, 2007										
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(3) Fortune Jeopardy! Dr. Phil Jeopardy! News Frasier Frasier South Park South Park										
(32) Smallville Movie: "Bring It On: All or Nothing"				Whose? Whose?	The 700 Club					
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(13) Entertain The Insider Survivor: Fiji CSI: Crime Scn Shark News										
(41) Sports Dest Wild Poker Superstars Basketball Shots Sports Sports Basketball Shots										
(15) "Poseidon" Last Mimzy Movie: "Take the Lead"				Big Love	The Best Sex					
(17) Phil Suite Life Movie: "The Luck of the Irish" Phil Life Derek Phil Suite Life So Raven										
(18) "Mobsters" Movie: "V for Vendetta"				Movie: "Cheaper by the Dozen 2"						
(20) NHL Hockey: Pittsburgh Penguins at Boston Bruins Bruins SportsDesk Biscuit SportsDesk The Buzz										
(44) Still Strnd Still Strnd Reba Reba Movie: "Lost Behind Bars"				Will-Grace Will-Grace						
(5) Raymond Raymond Friends Friends Friends Movie: "A Night at the Roxbury"										
(24) OddParents Neutron SpongeBob Drake Full House Full House Roseanne Roseanne Fresh Pr. Fresh Pr.										
(25) "Black Dog" Cont'd Movie: "The Quick and the Dead"				Movie: "High Plains Drifter"						
(26) Law Order: CI Law & Order: SVU Law & Order: SVU Law Order: CI Law & Order: SVU										
(27) CSI: Miami CSI: Miami The First 48 The Execution of Wanda Jean										
(12) Funniest Home Videos Movie: "Wet Hot American Summer"				WGN News at Nine Sex & City Scrubs						
(39) The Situation Room Paula Zahn Now Larry King Live Anderson Cooper 360										

FRIDAY EVENING MARCH 30, 2007										
7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
(3) Fortune Jeopardy! Dr. Phil Jeopardy! News Frasier Frasier South Park South Park										
(32) Smallville Movie: "Independence Day"					The 700 Club					
(6) 207 Inside Identity Raines Law & Order News										
(8) Fortune Jeopardy! Grey's Anatomy Six Degrees 20/20 News										
(10) News-Lehrer Wash Wk. Malne. NOW Time Goes Wait God Season My Family MontyPyth										
(22) SportsCtr. NBA NBA Basketball: Indiana Pacers at Orlando Magic NBA Basketball: Rockets at Lakers										
(34) CSI: Crime Scn CSI: Crime Scn Pros vs. Joes Disorderly Con.										
(13) Entertain The Insider Ghost Whisperer Close to Home NUMB3RS News										
(41) NBA Basketball: Boston Celtics at Philadelphia 76ers Postgame Sports Sports Fight League										
(15) The UCLA Dynasty Movie: "16 Blocks"				Rome	Real Time					
(17) Montana Suite Life Montana Cory Movie: "Stuart Little"				Suite Life So Raven						
(18) "The Sentinel" Cont'd Movie: "Charlie and the Chocolate Factory"				Movie: "Twister"						
(20) Red Sox Remy Impossible to Forget Remy SportsDesk Red Sox SportsPlus										
(44) Still Strnd Still Strnd Reba Reba Movie: "Family in Hiding"				Will-Grace Will-Grace						
(5) Raymond Raymond Movie: "The Cookout"				Movie: "Sister Act 2: Back in the Habit"						
(24) SpongeBob SpongeBob OddParents Neutron Neutron Full House Full House Fresh Pr. Fresh Pr.										
(25) The Quick and the Dead Movie: "Glory"				Halloween 5: Revenge ...						
(26) Law Order: CI Law & Order: SVU Law & Order: SVU Monk House										
(27) CSI: Miami CSI: Miami CSI: Miami Intervention Intervention										
(12) Funniest Home Videos Movie: "Days of Thunder"				MLB Preseason Baseball: Cubs vs. Mariners						
(39) The Situation Room Paula Zahn Now Larry King Live Anderson Cooper 360										

SATURDAY EVENING MARCH 31, 2007										
7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
(3) Fortune Jeopardy! Movie: "Soapdish"				Frasier Frasier Without a Trace						
(32) Movie: "Independence Day"				Movie: "Robin Hood: Men in Tights"						
(6) Maine Paid Prog. Dateline NBC Law & Order Law Order: CI News Sat. Night										
(8) Carlos Watson Movie: "The Rookie"				News CSI: Miami						
(10) Made In Maine Exp Movie: "Winged Migration"				Wanderers of the Deep Seals Red Green Red Green						
(22) MLB Preseason Baseball Figure Skating: World Championships SportsCenter										
(34) Movie: "Fletch" Cont'd Movie: "Fletch Lives"				Disorderly Con. TNA Wrestling Impact!						
(13) College Basketball: NCAA Tournament College Basketball: NCAA Semifinal - Florida vs. UCLA				News Da Vinci						
(41) AHL Hockey: Manchester Monarchs at Hartford Wolf Pack NBA Action Poker Final Score Poker Aussie Millions										
(15) "Take the Lead" Cont'd Movie: "Rumor Has It ..."				Rome Movie: "Batman Begins"						
(17) Suite Life Suite Life K. Possible Dragon Movie: "Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets"										
(18) Harry Potter Movie: "The Matrix Revolutions"				Movie: "Slither"						
(20) Walk Off Sox Red Sox SportsDesk Biscuit SportsDesk Remy										
(44) Movie: "The Secrets of an Undercover Wife"				Movie: "Live Once, Die Twice"						
(5) "Erin Brockovich" Cont'd Movie: "Something's Gotta Give"				Movie: "Erin Brockovich"						
(24) SpongeBob SpongeBob 20th Annual Kids' Choice Awards SpongeBob Full House Full House Fresh Pr. Fresh Pr.										
(25) "Magnum Force" Cont'd Movie: "Deliverance"				Movie: "Deliverance"						
(26) "Gangs of New York" Law & Order SVU Law & Order: SVU Law & Order: SVU House										
(27) Flip This House Flip This House Flip This House Flip This House										
(12) Funniest Movie: "Ghost"				WGN News at Nine Sex & City 24						
(39) This Week at War Special Investigations Larry King Live CNN Saturday Night Special Investigations										

SUNDAY EVENING APRIL 1, 2007										
7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	

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TOURNAMENT CHAMPS—The Telstar Middle School Girls' Varsity Basketball team recently won the Berlin, N.H. Middle School Tournament. The Rebels defeated Gorham, N.H. and Pittsburg, N.H. for the title. Cheyanne Day and Emma Davis received MVP awards. Pictured are, front: Lindsey Merrill, Nicena Walker and Echo Hoyt. Back: Kayla Merrill, Natasha Farnum, Emma Davis, Cheyanne Day, Jenna Putnam and Cira Neadeau.

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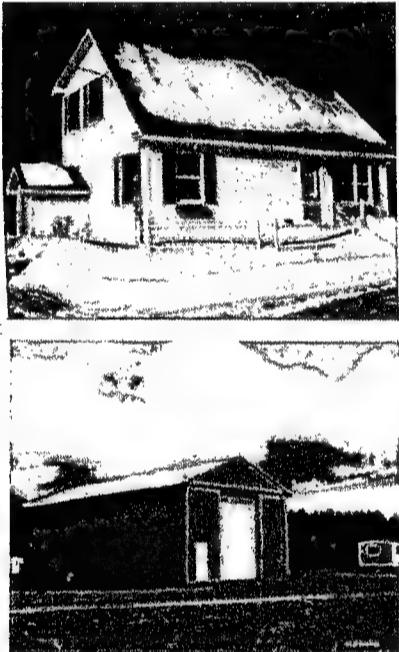
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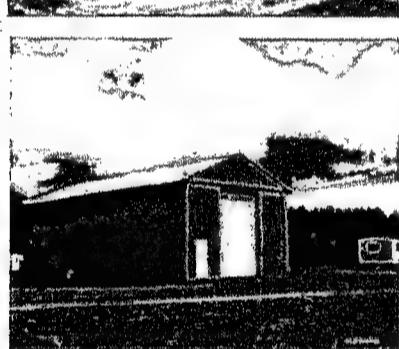
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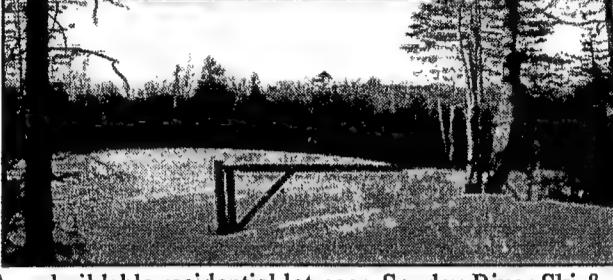
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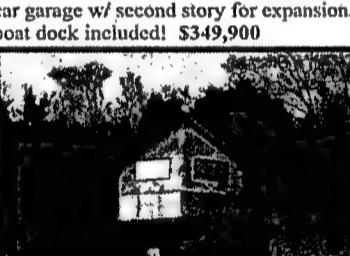
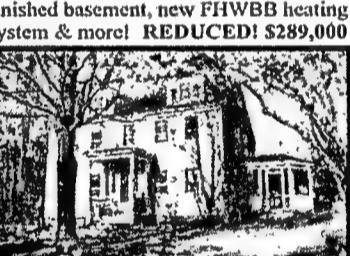


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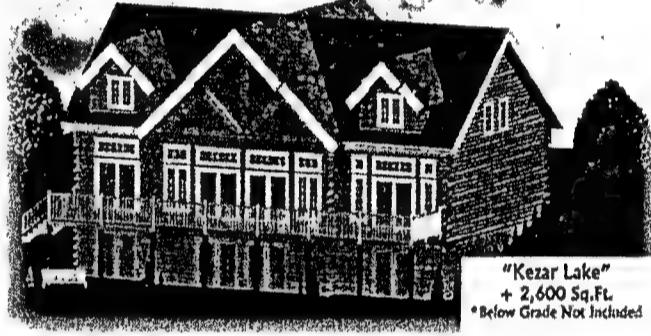


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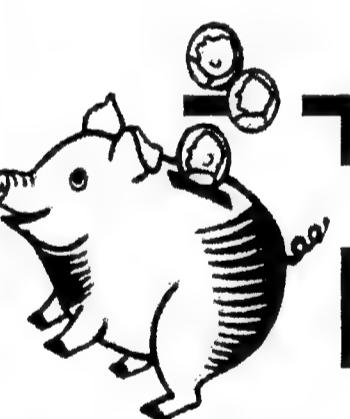
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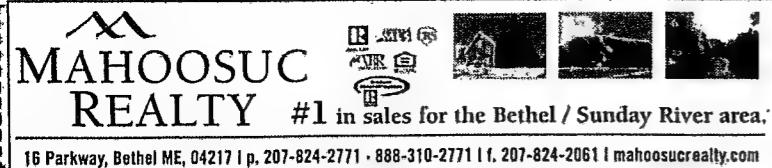
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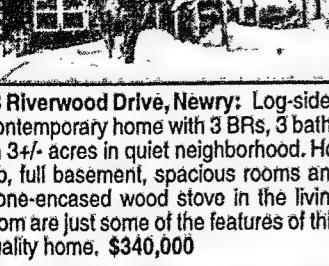
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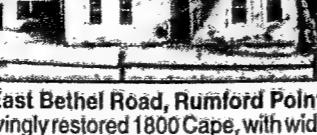
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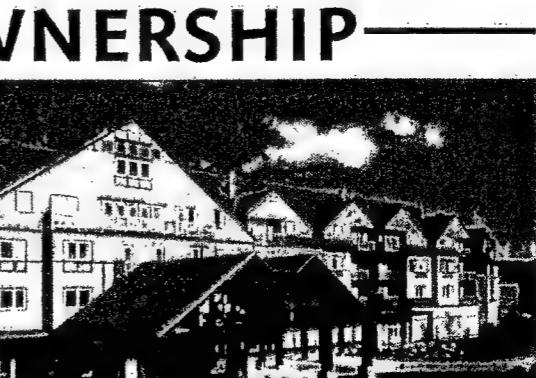
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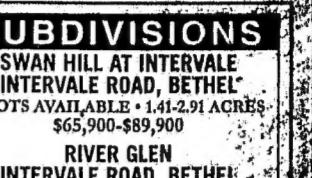
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Extraordinary home in a secluded west facing mountain setting. A true mountain jewel housing spectacular unobstructed views of Sunday River. Chefs kitchen, and fully equipped media room. Impeccable detail and finish work. \$1,550,000

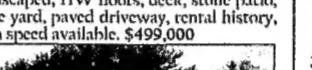
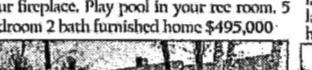
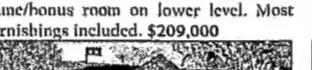
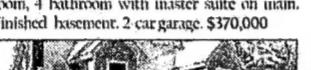
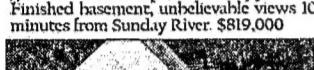
MOUNTAIN RETREAT
Wan log cabin charm with wood burning stone fireplace. Large loft overlooking living space. Open kitchen/dining/living area. 4 bed room, 4 bathroom with master suite on main. Finished basement. 2 car garage. \$370,000

UNDER CONTRACT!

SUNDAY RIVER SKI HOUSE

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Meadow View Estates
BEAR RIVER ROAD, NEWRY
8 LOTS AVAILABLE 1.20-.77 ACRES
\$60,000-\$94,900



ELLINGWOOD MOUNTAIN
NORTH ROAD, BETHEL
6 LOTS AVAILABLE 1.61-2.88 ACRES
\$60,000-\$80,000

WALKING DISTANCE TO BETHEL
Great primary or secondary home, spacious, walk to town, nice screened porch, hardwood floors, garage and heated sunroom, rental history available. \$199,000

WELL APPOINTED CAPE
Greatly appointed 3 BR, cape conveniently located minutes from Bethel Village, skiing and golfing. Fabulously decorated w/meticulous landscaping and spectacular westerly views. Perfect year round or weekend retreat. \$379,900

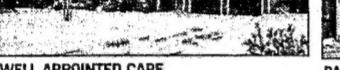
PARIS HILL
Attractive 3 bedroom cape, partially finished walk out basement, brick fireplace. Oak floor, sun open kitchen/dining area. 1st floor bedroom. Nic's quiet lot near the Androscoggin River about 3 miles from in-town Bethel \$232,000

NOW READY!

PRECONSTRUCTION PRICING

ONLY 4 LEFT!

POWDER RIDGE • NEWRY
7 LOTS AVAILABLE 1.09-3.23 ACRES
\$84,900-\$179,900



HARBOR HILL • WOODSTOCK
3 LOTS AVAILABLE 3.13-.325 ACRES
\$28,000-\$29,000

MANVILLE JUNCTION
Highly visible commercial location situated on Mayville Road en route to Sunday River. 1,500 sq ft with ample parking, central heat and air, 2nd floor. Also includes 100 sq ft of storage. County zoning located along the Mountain Explorer route in North Range and the slopes. Stained steel railings, large front door, large windows, plan with cathedral ceilings. Starting at \$259,000+

SKI-IN/SKI-OUT
Exclusive trail side Locke Mountain town home. Beautifully appointed, fully furnished, spectacular views. 4 bedroom 3.5 bath. This unit has it all! \$679,900

FALL LINE: 1 bedroom ski-in/ski-out condo.....\$141,900

CASCADES: Studio unit/1 bath slopeside condominium. Fully furnished....\$139,500

GRAND SUMMIT: 2 bedroom/1 bath West Belch condominium. Fully furnished, RCI affiliated. \$59,900

GRAND SUMMIT: Studio slopeside 1/4 share condominium. Fully furnished, RCI affiliated. \$13,900

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SLOPESIDE CONDOMINIUM
Ski in/out one bedroom condo on the upper level. Live the lifestyle. Common area with fireplace, game room, pool and locker storage. \$141,900

LOCKE MOUNTAIN
Exclusive trail side Locke Mountain town home. Beautifully appointed, fully furnished, spectacular views. 4 bedroom 3.5 bath. This unit has it all! \$679,900

309 NORTH PEAK II: 2 bedroom/1 bath slopeside condominium. Furnished....\$210,000

18 EDEN RIDGE: 2 bedroom/1 1/2 bath townhouse. Furnished, great views, HW floors, close to town.....\$189,500

5 # PLEASANT RIVER: 2 bedroom/1 bath West Belch condominium. Furnished....\$128,000

WHITE CAP: Ski to your door renovated 1/2 fully furnished.....\$132,500

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